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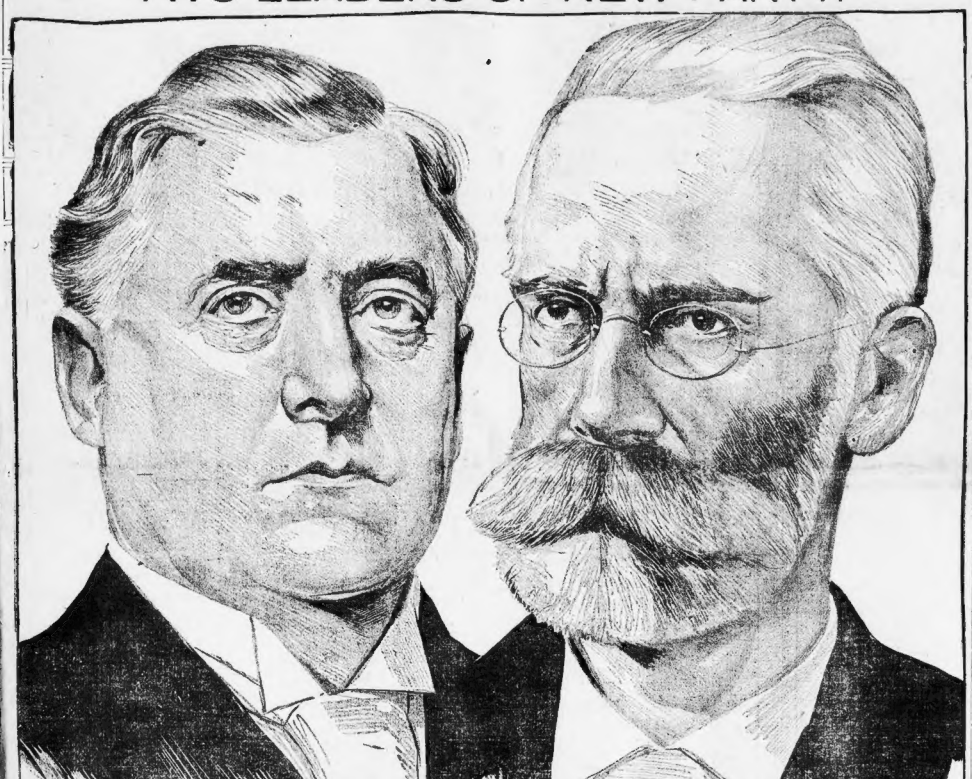

Thomas L. Hisgen and E. Gerry Brown, nominated by Independence League for Governor and Lieutenant-Governor.

MORAN HALTS TRIALS; ASKS NEW JURYMEN

Prosecutor Declines to Go on With Cases Before Present Panel—Dissatisfied With Recent Verdicts Rendered.

District Attorney John B. Moran created the greatest sensation in recent years in the second session of the Superior Criminal Court to-day, before Judge Raymond, by declaring in effect that because of improper influences he would decline to present more cases to the present venire of jurors.

Judge Raymond, after a short consultation with Clerk Manning, ordered the court crier to suspend, not adjourn court until later in the day.

The climax came after the jury, in the case of Building Inspector John P. Clark, had returned a verdict of not guilty on six counts and guilty on the seventh count, the jury having been out all night.

"If Your Honor please," said the District Attorney, who was standing at the bar enclosure, "on account of the conduct of the juries in this and the first session for this entire month in rendering verdicts not in accordance with the evidence, and because of intimations which I have received, I am satisfied that the interests of the Commonwealth require that no more cases be tried by these juries, and I have instructed my assistants in this session and also in the other session to place no more cases of any kind on trial while these juries are sitting or until a new set of jurors is summoned to the Court House.

Courtroom Amazed by Statement.

Spectators and court officials alike were amazed at the statement and gazed in wonderment at Judge Raymond, who appeared to be giving the statement of the District Attorney deep thought.

The Judge spoke to Clerk Manning and a short conversation followed between the court and clerk, after which Attorney Dove, representing Clark, announced that he desired until Tuesday next to decide or file a motion for a new trial, the usual proceeding on behalf of a defendant found guilty.

The court then announced that as there were other matters pending, he would suspend court for the time being, and court was suspended.

It is known that members of the District Attorney's office have been entirely dissatisfied with the manner in which cases have been determined by the present venire and rumors have been rife.

SECRET HEARING IN LOBBY.

It is known that in at least one case that was tried and resulted in a disagreement, Judge Crosby in the First Session held a secret hearing in the judges' lobby and it was rumored at the time that the conduct of certain jurors was discussed. It has been also stated that the jurors under consideration were not sitting on the case then being tried but were on the venires drawn for the month.

It has also been asserted that one juror was recently excused from further duty, the reason for being assigned.

RESULT OF MONTH'S TRIALS.

A number of cases of public interest have been tried this month, with varying results.

Jeremiah C. Spiesie, a prominent Roxbury real estate man, and also well known politically, was tried on an indictment charging him with the larceny of $2,000. The jury disagreed.

Frank Male, an Italian, was tried on a charge of murder. The jury disagreed.

Louis Harris, a teamster, who took the place of a union teamster during the recent strike, charged with murder in the second degree for shooting Michael J. Cunningham, was found not guilty.

Lorenzo Perkins, former deputy master of the House of Correction, was tried for assault on an inmate named Louis Lang, was found not guilty after the jury had been out ten hours.

Superintendent of Streets Doyle was tried on a charge of offering a gift or gratuity to Councilman Harding of Ward 20. This trial occupied some time and created the deepest interest especially among the politicans. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty.

The last verdict returned is that in the Clark case, the jury having been out all night. Clarke is a Civil Hall employe, and in this instance the jury found a verdict of guilty in one count and not guilty in six other counts.

The jurors serving in the second session were discharged from further service. In the first session the court is holding an assault case, arguments being heard. It is understood that Judge Crosby will be notified at the conclusion of the trial that no further cases will be presented by the District Attorney's force.

M'Gettrick's Summing Up.

When Assistant District Attorney McGettrick summed up the evidence in the Clark case before Judge Raymond he made significant references to "the atmosphere of to-day which is polluted with graft and bribery."

"May I let the impression go abroad," he said, "that the atmosphere of graft and bribery has invaded the sanctity of the court room."

In charging the jury Judge Raymond said: "The matter involved is of vital importance in these days. If the corrupt use of money can prevail in the public service our institutions will be sapped to the foundation."

2 FACTIONS PREPARE FOR CONVENTION WAR

WHITNEY AND BARTLETT MEN EACH HOLD CONFERENCE TO-DAY.

At a secret conference held in the office of Henry M. Whitney, in the International Trust Company's building on Milk street to-day, between Mr. Whitney, Josiah Quincy and William S. McNary, which lasted two hours, plans for the Whitney forces in the convention at Springfield to-morrow were carefully gone over.

At the same time, in the Bartlett headquarters, the managers for the candidate who opposes Mr. Whitney for the nomination for Governor carefully laid their plans to capture the convention.

Fight for Chairman.

Both sides will fight for the securing of the temporary and permanent chairman. The moment that the convention is called to order, Don O'Connell, General Bartlett's manager, who is also a delegate, nominates Daniel J. Kiley of Boston for temporary chairman. Chairman John F. Feeney of the State committee, who calls the convention to order, will recognize the nomination of Kiley.

Congressman John A. Keliher for the Whitney forces places William S. McNary's name before the gathering as their choice for chairman. Immediately the fight is on.

Chairman Feeney said to-day:

"I propose to have a square deal in the convention. If the Bartlett people have a majority that majority will show on a test vote. If the Whitney people have a majority a test vote will show that majority also. Whichever side has the majority of delegates in that convention will be allowed, so far as I am concerned, to assert that majority and have it made effective. There will be no fix as I am letting it about a square deal in the convention."

Therefore it would seem as though the fight would be settled soon after 11 o'clock, that the full strength of each candidate would then have been brought out.

Hot Fight Comes To-night.

The real hot part of the fight, however, comes at 8 o'clock to-night, in the Haynes House, Springfield, where the State Committee holds forth, on convention arrangements. The committee is very nearly equally divided in the number of Bartlett and Whitney supporters.

There are fifty-eight members on the committee. One vacancy is to be filled, that caused by the death of Arthur Clarke of the Second Norfolk District, whose term had not expired. Both Bartlett and Whitney want that other State committeeman. There are two claimants to the vacancy. One is Richard E. Oldham, of Norwood, a Bartlett man who at the recent convention presided over by Daniel J. Kiley was declared elected to the vacancy caused by the death of Clarke and also to the office for 1907.

The other claimant is William H. Toomey of Stoughton, nominated by bolters from the convention who organized a convention of their own. Both men arrive in Springfield with credentials and witnesses and evidence to support their contention.

Hours to Decide Vacancy.

The committee will probably take several hours to decide whether Oldham or Toomey shall be seated. Toomey is supposed to be a Whitney man.

It is understood that Kiley will lead the fight to seat Oldham, while Toomey's interests will be fought for by McNary.

After the secret conference to-day Mr. Whitney said that they had simply talked over general matters pertaining to the convention.

Mr. McNary put it this way: "We have talked about matters connected with our victory to-morrow."

Well! Well! Wu Ting Fang coming back here again! The jolly Chinese minister, who always asked ladies their ages, told the fashionable set it made him blush to see such nakedness and their corsets and tight sleeves were unhealthy, orderd back to Washington. You will read all about it in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

THE WEATHER.

Cloudy tonight and Saturday; fresh westerly winds. High tide—9:07 a. m., 9:22 p. m. Sun rises—5:44, sets 5:22.

YOUTH BADLY BITTEN BY DOG FEARED RABID

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL CAPTURES BEAST WHICH ATTACKED SCORE OF SALEM PEOPLE.

SALEM, Oct. 4.—Great excitement was caused here to-day by a brindle bull dog which tried to bite a score of persons. He succeeded in badly wounding on the ankle Gerald Riggs, a thirteen-year-old pupil at the Phillips Grammar School on Essex street. The boy was taken to the office of Dr. M. T. Field for treatment.

It is thought that the animal is the dog which caused consternation in Lynn yesterday by biting six children. He is now locked up in a police station and will be shot.

His head will be submitted to the Board of Health for examination. It is feared that the dog is suffering from rabies.

Grabbed Girl's Foot.

He made his appearance in this city early to-day. He was first noticed in the Boston & Maine railroad station, which was crowded at the time, when he ran about and snapped at many persons. He attacked Miss Margaret Coggin, a prominent society girl, and seized her foot. Her brother forced the brute to release his hold, and then the dog attacked the boy. Previously he had torn the shoe of the ten-year-old daughter of David Hunt of No. 29 Margin street.

The panic in the station brought Constables Thomas J. Gorman and John Sullivan to the rescue. They drove the dog into the street where they were joined by Patrolman Tynan.

Fled Through Church.

The three officers, followed by a mob, chased the dog through Front and Charter streets until he sought refuge in the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

He got out of the building unseen and was next heard of at the Phillips School. Principal Charles Evart, after the Riggs boy had been attacked, chased the dog into the schoolhouse cellar. There he was confined until Patrolman Tynan arrived. The policeman went boldly into the cellar and after a tussle, succeeded in subduing and taking the dog to the police station.

$300 BLAZE IN TENEMENT CELLAR

Fire starting in the cellar of the two-and-a-half story wooden dwelling, owned by Charles Greenwood, at No. 96 Greenwood street, Dorchester, at 7:30 a. m. today, did $300 worth of damage in the tenements occupied by Winifred Isenbern on the first floor, and Wolf Bergman, on the second, caused mainly by water. The cause is unknown.

HISGEN OPENS FIGHT FOR THE GOVERNORSHIP

Thomas Louis Hisgen, candidate of the Independence League in Massachusetts for Governor of the Commonwealth, begins his campaign at once.

At his office at West Springfield Mr. Hisgen said to-day to a reporter for the BOSTON AMERICAN:

"I shall continue to meet the plain people of Massachusetts, and meet them face to face. Heedless of the sneers and jeers of the 'practical politician,' I shall resume without delay my tour of the State in my own way. The convention was an enthusiastic success far beyond my dreams. More than ever before, I am proud of the League and the Leaguers.

"I am at home for the sole purpose of making my office ready to turn over to one of my brother. I expect to be on the go until the votes are counted. I hope to reach every county and every corner of the State."

See Page 6 for account of Independence League Convention.

Love Triumphs When Touring Cars Crash

Bumped Into Bliss; or, Cupid's Masterpiece. When two flying autos collided she sailed through the air right into his arms—though they had never been introduced! And when she came to and looked into his eyes it was all over with him—and so now they are man and wife.

Read the Whole Story In Sunday American

GERMANS PLAN HISTORIC PLAY

To celebrate the first landing of their countrymen in America, in 1683, the United German Societies of Boston will present the play, "The German Gifts," at the Hollis Street Theatre Sunday night. Governor Guild and many other State and city officials have accepted invitations.

The most prominent Germans of Boston will be represented in the cast, which follows:

Frau Dr. F. W. Stuart, Ernst F. Knetler, Fraulein P. Vatter, Leo Robinson, Mospiton, Frau Gertrude Emanuels, Friedrich Metzger, Julius Kreidel, Carl Eberhard, Karl Rauch, Gustav Fischer, Paul Bottcher, Mathias Huesges, Victor Brauncorff, Jacob Milch, Frauleln Mart. Mospiton, Frau Gertrude Emanuels, Frau E. Ocker, Frau Marie Kreidel, Frau Jennie Hoffmann, Frau Rosa Ecker, Frau Kreutwarst, Frau Marie Van Hall, Frau Otto Lemke, Frau Marie Koenstler, Fraulein M. Ramseyer, Fraulein Else Weerule.

The large orchestra will be under the direction of Gustav Strube.

TAFT TO CALL AT NAGASAKI

NAGASAKI, Japan, Oct. 4.—The most elaborate preparations have been made here for the reception of Secretary of War Taft, who, with his party, will arrive to-morrow for a brief stay before his departure for Manila. Officials will turn out in force to extend a welcome to the visiting Americans. The Taft party, on board the steamship Minnesota, is on the inland sea en route from Kobe, to-day.

NAME NEW JUDGES IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 4.—The Governor and council have appointed Robert J. Peaslee of Manchester a justice of the Supreme Court, and William A. Plummer of Laconia a justice of the Superior Court. Judge Peaslee will resign a judgeship on the Superior Court bench to take his new place on the Supreme bench, which will be made vacant by the expiration of the term on December 28 of Judge William M. Chase of Concord.

EXPRESSMEN OUT ON STRIKE

Sixty express drivers, employed by the Adams Express Company of Brookline, struck to-day because their employers refused to give them shorter hours or to recognize their union. The men say that they have been working from fourteen to eighteen hours every day. The company refused to shorten the men's hours, but offered to raise their pay from $14 a week to $15.

The men refused to accept this proposition, preferring to work for $14 and to work for from seven to twelve hours. To-day, after all efforts to adjust the matter failed, the men failed to appear for work.

They are all members of Local No. 38, Teamsters and Helpers' Union of Brookline. President Thomas Taylor of the union, after the strike was ordered, went to headquarters of the general union in Boston.

VALUED RELICS FOR ATTLEBORO LIBRARY

ATTLEBORO, Oct. 4.—Major Everett S. Horton has announced to the trustees of the public library his intention to give his valued collection of relics as the nucleus for a historical room in the new public library, which will be dedicated the latter part of the month.

R. H. WHITE CO.

Write our Mail Order Dept. for samples of the new Silks and Dress Goods—Write for anything you may want.

Never Such a Wonderfully Varied Showing of Millinery

Prices Extremely Low—Materials and Building the Finest

It is hard, yes, almost impossible, to say which shape, which color is predominating in popularity this season, for the styles are so numerous, so varied, ranging from the ultra fashionable Rembrandt shapes to the tiniest and close fitting toques. The colors and manner of trimming are equally varied, for altho' black is in great demand this fall, many of the smartest effects are in the new shades of Wine, Delft Blue and Evegue. As for the manner of trimming, it is safe to say that Feathers and Ribbons have the lead. Feathers of all kinds and colors, including the standard Ostrich Plumes, Coque, Manbout and Peacock, while ribbon is used to such an extent that we can only say that never before were made such stunning huge bows, wired and stitched, nor such fascinating little chous in silk or velvet ribbon. Just a word for the ever popular flowers. The huge velvet pansies and morning glories will be seen this season, even more than in the summer months, on large, medium and small hats, while roses, violets and dahlias are still in vogue.

Do not decide upon your dress hat, or in fact any hat, before you see our splendid assortment, ranging in price from $5.00 to $40.00. We are confident you will decide in our favor, and you will do well to select early, for we never had such a tremendous business as this season.

$8.50 Trimmed Hat $5.00

$5.00 Ready-to-Wear Hat $2.98

The cut to the left shows a very smart hat for misses or young women. The facing is of fine quality silk velvet, upper brim of taffeta or peau de soie trimmed with large bow made unusually full of the same material. This hat comes in all the best colors and black. Regular $5.00 value, this sale at.. 2.98

$6.00 Suit Hat $3.98

The cut on the left is of a smart tailored hat of fine quality felt, bent up at the side front, trimmed with folds of taffeta ribbon around the crown and brought over the upturned brim and caught in place by a stunning French wing. Two nobby Japanese ball pins finish the clever trimming. Regular $6.00 value, this sale at. 3.98

The above cut shows one of our many style hats at this price. The shape is the "Mabel Gilman," made of fine French felt, the bandeau being filled in with mallne and the edge of the hat bound by an inch wide fold of taffeta. A large chou of moire ribbon with folds of same around the crown, two pair of large wings across the front and side complete the smart trimming. A regular $8.50 value, this sale at 5.00

R. H. WHITE CO.

Men's Fall Suits and Coats

Unequalled for Style and Service at Our Prices

The season's best styles and patterns from 12 of the world's best wholesale tailoring houses. Suits and coats that our experts have inspected carefully to see that the "inside" is as fine quality as the "outside."

By the "inside" we mean the interlinings and putting together, vital points that you do not see, *but that we do see before the garment is made up, and can guarantee you satisfaction—suits and coats that will wear longer and look better than the ordinary sort.*

Special Fall Suits, Coats and Raincoats at $15

Every color, style and material, correct for the present season, is represented in this lot at $15.00. The models are long cut coats with peaked or rounded lapels, square shoulders and close fitting collars. The new shades of brown, olive, gray and the ever-conventional black and blue.

Men's Black Thibet Fall Overcoats, with or without silk facing, at....
Oxford Cheviot Fall Overcoats, with or without silk facing, at....
Gray Worsted Fall Overcoats, with serge lining, at..
Nobby Oxford Worsted Raincoats at
Fancy Gray Worsted Suits in a number of patterns at....
Stylish Brown Cashmere and Worsted suits at .....

$15
Regular Price $20.00
Higher Grade Suits Up to $32.50

Plaid Cashmere Suits in new fall styles.
The new Olive Suits in worsted and cashmere.
Club Check and Overplaid Suits.
Black and Blue Unfinished Worsted Suits.
Black Thibet Suits.
Black Clay Worsted Suits.
Fancy Cheviot Suits in checks and stripes.

$15.00 Raincoats $10.00

Cut full 52 in. long, made of cravenetted worsted, in the best shades of oxford gray. All seams are double stitched with silk, collars snug-fitting, shoulders well shaped, yoke and sleeves lined with satin finished Venetian. Regular $15 value at..... 10.00

Higher Grade Raincoats up to $30.00

New "Kenwick" Fall Overcoats

Made from fine all-wool black thibet, cut 40 in. long, broad shoulders, sloop fitting collar, slightly form fitting back, and lined with fine Venetian. A coat worth $15.00 at..... 10.00

$15.00 Suits $10.00

Men's splendid fall suits, in fine worsteds, cheviots and thibets, various patterns, cut single-breasted sack style, Venetian and serge lined. A suit that regularly sells at $15.00, this sale at 10.00

Young Men's Suits

We were most fortunate in securing at a great price concession a lot of splendid single-breasted sack suits, made of high-grade fabrics in the new fall colorings. Sizes 16 to 22 years. Every garment warranted to hold its shape, fit well and give perfect satisfaction. Special while they last at 7.50

Men's 1.50 and 2.00 Bosom Shirts 69c

Made with attached cuffs. Most every style in the lot, but not all sizes in each style. We have marked them for today and Saturday at.....

Men's Pure Lamb's Wool Coat Sweaters *(like drawing)*

Made either plain or trimmed, oxford and navy, and oxford and cardinal, finished in the very best possible manner. Ordinary selling price 5.00. We have marked them at 3.75

Men's Cardigan Jackets

Made single or double breasted, in black, hard spun worsteds, all sizes 2.25

Men's Blue Flannel Shirts

Made from a very fine grade flannel in single or double breasted. To start the season we have marked them at.. 2.00

Men's Extra Quality Derby Ribbed Shirts and Drawers

Winter weight drawers, have double gusset and are trimmed with pearl buttons, shirts are made with long sleeves and are cut full size. Regular 1.00 value, at..... 62½c

Men's Half Hose

In black, tan and gray. Made from a very fine yarn, such as you usually get in 25c stocking. Our special price.... 12½c

Men's Imported Hose

Split sole, fine combed Egyptian yarn, lisle finish, double heel and toe. For this sale, 3 pairs for 50c, single pair..... 19c

Men's Extra Heavy Worsted Half hose

In black only. Made with gray heel and toe, excellent wearing quality, 50c value, at..... 25c

Men's Extra Heavy Double Breasted Underwear

Natural wool color. Shirts are made double back and front, drawers have extra double gussets and pearl buttons. Regular 1.50 value, at..... 79c

Men's 4.00 and 5.00 Shoes, Special at 2.95

Second Floor, South Annex.

Heavy Calf Balmorals.....
Patent Leather Balmorals..
"Nettleton" Boots and Oxfords, broken sizes.....

$2.95

Boys' Heavy Double Sole Box Calf Blucher shoes at $2.50.

Men's and Youths' Fall Hats

Second Floor—South Annex.

Derbies and Soft Hats—Equal to any $2.50 hats, our special price 1.90

R. H. White Co. Special Hat—The most comfortable and durable hat ever offered; good value at $3.00, our price..... 2.35

$3.50 Hats at $2.75—In all shapes, including the new half round crown, which is the most popular of the season. Regular price $3.50, at 2.75

$2.00 Percale House Dress $1.49

Cotton Underwear Section—Second Floor

Exactly Like Illustration. Made of fine quality Sea Island Percale, medium colors, full skirt with deep flounce, plaited waist, shirt sleeves with buttoned cuff, value $2.00. Special at..... 1.49

Nurses' Uniform, two piece, made of Bates gingham in gray stripe, full gored skirt, plaited waist, shirt sleeves, buttoned cuff, value $2.00, at..... 1.49

Maid Dresses in plain chambray and striped gingham, made with full gored skirts and plaited waists, special at 2.25

House Dresses, flannelette, in fancy plaids—gored skirt with bias folds — waist plaited back and front, with bias band and pipings. Special at..... 2.98

Wrappers, in fine quality percale—made with full skirts, plaited yoke effects—in navy, grey or black, also shepherd checks. Value $2.00, at 1.49

House Dresses, in light colored percale, white and black, gored skirt, full waist. Special 98c

Percale Wrappers—Yoke back and front, full skirt with deep ruffle, in navy only. Value $1.50, at..... 98c

White "Soisette" Waists—Tucked and embroidered fronts, buttoned backs, long sleeves. Value $1.50, at..... 98c

Plaid Silk Waists, made of good quality taffeta, buttoned back and front, with gilt buttons and ribbon trimming. Value $6.50, at 5.00

Waists of Fine Quality Veilings—in white or black, prettily embroidered, buttoned front or back. Value $2.50 1.98

Waists of Mohair—Good quality, front with broad plaits, shirt sleeves, with buttoned cuff. Value $4.50, at..... 98c

Odd Lots of Taffeta Silk Waists, buttoned back, embroidered front, also brussels net waists, silk lined, ¾ sleeve. Value $4.00, at 2.98

$3.00 Lingerie Waist at $1.98—Made of fine quality batiste, hand embroidered and lace trimmed yokes, buttoned backs and ¾ sleeves, 4 different styles, $3 value 1.98

Over 250 Styles of Women's Fall and Winter Suits

The Greatest Variety and Best Values We Have Ever Offered

It would be impossible to find a wider range and a better selection of women's fall garments than we are offering to our patrons at the present time. A complete line of sizes from 32 to 44, and the newest ideas carried out by the best New York tailors, make our assortment of suits, coats and skirts unrivalled, without doubt the finest in New England.

Smart Double Breasted Suit The cut shown this new model with 27-in. jacket, finished with inlaid velvet collar. The skirt is full plaited, finished around the bottom with self fold and made with the popular 13 gores. The materials are all the popular color cheviots and smart gray checked effects. A great value at..... 13.50

52 Inch Stylish Coat The drawing shows the best style coat ever sold at such a low price. Cut full 52 in. long, with collar effect of military braid and velvet. Long, loose style coat, lined with Venetian, which wears splendidly. For this sale at..... 13.50

Lymansville Cheviot Suit The second cut shows a plainly tailored cheviot suit in black and blue only. 28-in. jacket with fly front, semi-fitted back and finished with inlaid velvet collar and French seams. The skirt is full plaited, 19-gored and finished with a self fold around bottom. The jacket is lined with Skinner's satin, guaranteed for 2 years. A special value at..... 16.50

Herringbone Cheviot Suit Like cut, 4-button cut-away effect, 28 in. long, semi-fitted back, Tuxedo collar and smartly tailored. The lining is of excellent quality guaranteed satin. The full plaited skirt is finished with 4-in. fold around the bottom. The material is herringbone cheviot, in black, blue, brown and wine. A value that is rarely duplicated at..... 18.50

Tight Fitting Broadcloth Suit In black, blue, brown and wine broadcloth, lined throughout with taffeta, tight-fitting, plainly tailored and effectively finished, with turn-over cuffs and inlaid collar of velvet. The coat is full 50 in. long and the skirt a full plaited model. An unusually good value at 25.00

Remarkable Coat Bargains for Friday

$10.00 Coat at $6.50—Cut full 50 in. long, loose, graceful back, new kimono sleeve, velvet collar, trimmed with narrow and wide braid and yoke lined with good quality Venetian. Regular $10.00 value at 6.50

Two Glove Specials for Women

Street Floor, Centre Aisle

Women's One-Clasp Pique Sewn Gloves, in mode and white; a regular $1.15 quality for 75c... } 75c

One-Clasp Prix Seam Sewn Cape Gloves, in the newest fall shades of tan; a $1.50 value for $1.15, at } $1.15

Women's Hosiery and Underwear Six Exceptional Values

Women's Medium Weight Hose

Plain black cotton hose with double heel, sole and toe, good elastic top. Regular price 19c pair, this sale, put up 4 pair in a box, at, per box 50c

Black Fleeced Cotton Hose

Medium weight black fleeced cotton hose with double heel, sole, toe and regular full fashioned hemmed and ribbed top. Some are slightly imperfect, but regular 25c value, at 3 pr. for 50c, or single pair.... 17c

Men's Black Silk Lisle Hose

Medium weight, with high spliced heel, double sole and toe. Splendid wearing stocking, with clear lustre. Regular 39c value, at, per pr. 29c

Boys' Ribbed Hose

Medium and heavy weight ribbed black cotton hose with double heel, sole, toe and full fashioned foot. Slightly imperfect. Regular 25c value, at 2 pair for 25c, or single pair 15c

62½c Fleeced Garments 39c

Women's medium weight fleeced vest and pants. Vests made high neck with long sleeve, neatly trimmed around neck and front. Pants made ankle length, side button yoke band. Heavy fleecing and regular 50c and 62½c values, at, each 39c

Jersey Ribbed Underwear

Medium weight Jersey ribbed fine cotton vest and pants. Vests made with high neck and either long or short sleeves. Ankle or knee length pants. Just the right weight for fall wear. Special at, each 50c

GLADYS VANDERBILT MUST EMBRACE CATHOLIC FAITH

OTHERWISE SHE CANNOT GET TITLE OF COUNTESS IN AUSTRIA WHEN SHE WEDS.

Special Cable to the Hearst News Service.

VIENNA, Austria, Oct. 4.—Under the Austrian law, marriages between Catholics and Protestants are not given legal recognition and Miss Gladys Vanderbilt, when she becomes the bride of Count Szechenyi, will not be given the title of Countess by the aristocracy unless she changes her religion.

The Austrian royalty and nobility in ceremonious form at least are called the most devout of all Catholics. The affiliation between the titled nobility of this country and the Vatican have been of the closest nature for centuries. The leaders of the pro-Catholic party at Court are the Prince and Princess of Liechtenstein, who are the most influential also with the imperial arch-duchesses. The latter are the arbiters of questions of rank and fashion.

Will Get Title in Hungary.

What makes this situation more perplexing to Miss Vanderbilt's friends, who believe the highest circles in Austria are disturbed by the report of her engagement, is that, under the laws of Hungary, his native land, she will be accorded the title of Countess Szechenyi as soon as she weds her fiance.

"The Black Aristocracy," as the Liechtenstein party is called in Austria, hopes that Miss Vanderbilt will become a convert to Catholicism, in order to gain the same standing as her future husband in this country. Anna Gould changed her religious faith when she married Count Boni de Castellane.

It is understood, however, that Emperor Francis Joseph does not share in the extreme views of the "Black Aristocracy" on marriage, and that as long as he lives he will insist that the American women get full recognition, the law notwithstanding.

Emperor an Old Man.

But Francis Joseph is a very old man, and his successor, Francis Ferdinand, is reckoned the leading power behind the "Black Aristocracy."

He on his own part could not recognize Miss Vanderbilt's marriage, inasmuch as his own marriage to a woman of the lower nobility is not recognized, their children taking their mother's name and are being excluded from succession.

OIL CHIEFS BUY WAY INTO DIRECTORATES

Standard's Methods to Force Rebates Are Exposed by Federal Counsel.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—With his revelations showing how the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, forces 97 per cent of the railroads to buy its lubricating oil, some paying 100 per cent, more than others, Frank B. Kellogg to-day was well underway in his plan to expose the relations of the oil trust with the transportation systems.

As the federal counsel in the suit to dissolve the Standard Oil, he charged that a uniform system of discrimination in rates in favor of the Rockefeller concern was in use up to 1905, when many were stopped because it became apparent that they would be made public, and that many rates still exist.

He charged that the Standard had bought its way into the management of the railroads, and produces the following statement of directorships held by Standard men in 1905:

William Rockefeller, director New York, New Haven & Hartford, Central New England, Delaware & Lackawanna, New York, Ontario & Western, Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, New York Central, Lake Shore & Michigan, Michigan Central, New York & Ottawa Railroad Company. Henry H. Rogers, director Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe and Union Pacific. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., director Delaware, Lackawanna & Western and Missouri Pacific. Charles M. Pratt, secretary Standard Oil, director Boston & Maine, Long Island railroad and Evansville, Henderson & Nashville. Clay Pierce, head of the Waters-Pierce Oil Company, director Kansas City Southern, and St. Louis & San Francisco. F. T. Gates, John D.'s confidential manager, director Wisconsin Central and Missouri Pacific. Henry M. Flagler, director Florida East Coast railway.

FEAR MISSING GIRL IS CAPTIVE AT SEA

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Following the strange disappearance of Miss Emma Archer, the pretty nineteen-year-old Brooklyn student, the police got information that the girl was taken from her rowboat by the crew of a mysterious sloop. They believe that she was stolen by those on the sloop and is now held captive on the high seas. The girl's friends believe she has eloped.

FIREMAN IS DYING; SHOT ON STREET

James E. Downey, Engine 6, Wounded by Bullet During an Affray in Chinatown.

James E. Downey, senior hoseman of Engine 6 and one of the best-known firemen in the city, is dying to-day at the Relief Hospital as the result of a wound in his abdomen caused by a bullet fired from a revolver in the hands of Clement Yore. According to men who were with Downey when the shooting took place, the shot fired by Yore was unwarranted.

Yore says he fired in self-defence, believing he was about to be attacked by a strange man who had threatened to assault him.

Had Come from Theatre.

Downey, the dying man, with John J. Murphy, of Engine No. 26, a man named Dunn and another named Blewett, had attended a gift presentation to an officer of Engine No. 7 and later attended the then Grand. Afterward they passed through Hayward place and then into Harrison avenue. They say that when they were opposite No. 36, the Hong Fow restaurant, Yore lurched out of the doorway and grabbed J. J. Murphy.

Downey attempted to prevent what he believed was to be a violent assault and then Yore, a powerful man, evidently under the influence of liquor, reached into his hip pocket and drew a gun. Without hesitation and without warning aim at any one of the Downey party, he fired. Downey fell to the sidewalk with a bullet through his abdomen. One of his friends ran away, but the others grappled with Yore who broke away and started up Oxford place, where he was halted by Policeman Patrick Murphy.

Downey is twenty-three years old, married, and lives at No. 23 Irving street. He has been senior hoseman of Engine 6 for two years. He is a medal-of-honor man and has figured in several thrilling rescues. Two years ago he was commended for stopping a runaway horse on Nashua street. He saved the life of a child by his quick action.

Yore is thirty-seven years old and says he lives at No. 136 St. Botolph street.

Yore's capture was effected by Reserve Officer T. C. Murphy, with the assistance of Policemen Patrick Murphy and James Sullivan. Yore was just placing his revolver in his pocket when Murphy confronted him. He appeared to will when he saw Murphy's gun and put up no fight while the three men led him to the box. While he was being held under arrest ambulance was summoned and Downey taken to the hospital. It was impossible to perform an immediate operation and the bullet has not been located. It is feared it pierced the abdominal walls of Downey's body.

PRODUCERS MAY INVADE BOSTON IN MILK WAR

Worcester County Dealers Plan to Sell Direct, Ignoring Contractors.

DEMAND 38 CENTS A CAN

The farmers of Worcester county threaten to fight the Boston milk contractors on their own ground if the contractors do not accede to their demand for thirty-five cents a can instead of the thirty-five and one-half cents the contractors offer. They threaten to place milk in the Boston stores for sale at seven cents a quart.

No response has yet been received by the Worcester milk producers' committee, who laid the ultimatum before the contractors demanding the thirty-eight cents and adding the statement that the increase in the retail rate for milk to nine cents, which took effect Tuesday, has already cut off the consumption from 10 to 33⅓ per cent., and that the farmers are likely to get 35½ cents for their milk.

Say Market Is Glutted.

They insist that the market is glutted with milk, and if any of the Massachusetts farmers won't sell at 35½ cents there will be plenty of other sources where sufficient milk can be had.

The Worcester producers will have a big meeting at Worcester next Monday, when they will lay plans for their campaign against the Boston contractors. One plan broached is to sell to the independent milk dealers and to the consumers at the station in Boston, thus doing away with the cost of delivery. Still another is selling to the stores at a low enough price to enable them to sell at nine cents, the consumer at seven cents is an alternative.

Talk Big Cut in Price.

The farmers of Worcester county reckon that it costs the contractors over seven cents a can to transport to Boston and one-half cent more for cleaning the can. The contractors of Boston are getting fifty-six cents a can at the big depots, and the Worcester men say they can sell direct in Boston at forty-five cents to big consumers.

CALCUTTA IN TURMOIL; FEAR INDIAN MUTINY

CALCUTTA, Oct. 4.—Coming as the direct result of the prolonged agitation for "self rule for India," an uprising by students last night, culminating in an attack on the police in which half a hundred officers were injured, has aroused the greatest fear that the dreaded Indian mutiny may be at hand.

To-day a strike by native cab drivers which has already resulted in much violence has greatly added to the danger. Strikers are now picketing the streets. An English registrar, riding in a cab was stoned and severely injured.

Last night's rioting started at a meeting of native students in honor of other students who were arrested recently for attacking policemen. During the speeches, the crowd became unruly and the meeting broke up. Pressed in upon attending the meeting to preserve order. The constabulary charged the mob. Native officers joined the rioters, assisting the local constabulary. Not until reserves had been called out was order restored.

Kier Hardie, the labor leader in the British Parliament, is largely blamed for last night's outbreak. He has been touring India, making inflammatory speeches

What makes you do it? Science has at last discovered how a sudden shock causes a brain storm and changes the whole trend of the human mind in the twinkling of an eye. You will find all about it by reading the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

MYSTERY OF SLAIN GIRL SOLVED; WAS FROM BOSTON

NELLIE QUINN, NURSE, WAS "BLACK SHEEP" OF RESPECTABLE DORCHESTER FAMILY.

The identification of the young woman who was so brutally murdered in a furnished room at No. 431 East One Hundred and Eighteenth street, New York, as Mrs. Nellie Quinn, daughter of John and Bridget Hayes of Dorchester has revealed the heart breaking story of a wayward girl, the pet and idol of father, mother, brothers and sisters, who proved to be the black sheep of a respectable and hard working family.

The family is highly respected in Dorchester and all feel keenly the notoriety that Nellie's tragic end has brought to them. Mrs. Hayes is now in New York where she hastened when the first word came of Nellie's death. She will see to the burial of the body in a New York cemetery.

Had Loving Husband.

Nellie Quinn was thirty years old and was married ten years ago to William Quinn. Although to Nellie she union was not happy. Mr. Quinn proved to be a loving husband who was ready and willing to forgive his wife for any errors she committed while she lived in Boston. The story of Nellie Quinn is the story of a good girl going astray through drink. After her marriage she began to associate with girls of questionable reputation. In January, 1904, she was arrested and sentenced to three months in the House of Correction on Deer Island. Upon her release she immediately went to New York where her husband was working. Apparently the jail term had reformed her. Mr. Quinn was ready to take her back and forget all that had happened in the past. Soon the news from Nellie became more and more infrequent and finally the payments dreaded to learn of what she was doing. For the few reports were of a nature to cause sorrow in the Hayes household. Finally Nellie was no longer mentioned, her name was seldom mentioned in the old home and she was never referred to when strangers were present. No one knew where she was or what she was doing.

Mother Recognizes Nellie.

The announcement, Wednesday, that Nellie Quinn, a nurse, had been brutally murdered in a New York lodging house, came as a terrible blow to the Hayes family. Mrs. Hayes recognized her daughter from newspaper descriptions and hastened to New York to arrange for the burial of the body.

Nellie Quinn, or Hayes, was slain after she and a male companion had engaged a furnished room. They gave the names of "Mr. and Mrs. Boyle." The man proved to be George Cramer, who when traced by the New York police, said the girl was known in New York districts which she frequented as Nellie Quinn, a former Boston nurse. This, coupled with the description sent out by the police, resulted in the discovery by the Hayes family that the murdered girl who had left home four years before, had met a terrible end. Nellie Quinn's body was found Wednesday by Mrs. Elizabeth Schwartz, the woman who runs the New York lodging house. The clothing of the girl found in the room confirmed the marks of identification and the only clue the police had was the discovery of a bit of linen's clothing with the name George Cramer upon it. Cramer was traced and when arrested helped to cause the identification of his former companion. He has, however, repeatedly denied that he killed the woman.

DANCING PARTY FOR UNITED WORKMEN

Marion Lodge, No. 66, Ancient Order of United Workmen, will hold a dancing party and moving picture show in Odd Fellows' Hall, Woolsey square, opposite Jamaica Plain depot, Tuesday evening, October 8. The affair promises to eclipse all former undertakings held by the organization, and the committee in charge is working with that end in view.

NOONAN LOST COUNCIL BADGE FOUND PAWNED

Writes to American That He Will Take Steps to Recover It at Once.

Councilman John F. Noonan of Ward 16 says that the Common Council badge of 1906, displayed in the window of a pawnshop at No. 11 Green street, was not pawned by him, but was lost more than a year ago. He says that he tried hard to find it, without avail.

William J. Foley of Ward 7 has stated that he did not pawn a badge bearing his name. R. E. Sexton of Ward 1, also says his badge was lost and not pawned by him.

Councilman Noonan's letter reads in full:

"Editor BOSTON AMERICAN—Having just received the clipping of your paper of September 22nd, pertaining to the discovery of my Common Council badge of 1906 in a pawnshop, I desire first to thank your valuable paper for throwing some light on its whereabouts.

"More than a year ago I lost the same and all efforts to find it proved futile. The badge was not pawned by me, for the same is an emblem of honor for which I thank the people of Ward 16. On my return to Boston I shall take steps as will restore to me my property.

"Again thanking your paper for assisting me in finding the same, I am

"Gratefully yours,

"JOHN F. NOONAN.

"P. S. I trust that in justice to me you will publish the above statement."

Mr. Noonan wrote the above while in Gardiner, Me.

CLARK FOUND GUILTY ON ONE OF 7 COUNTS

Jury's Verdict in Case of Accused Building Department Inspector.

John P. Clark, former building inspector for the city of Boston, was found guilty by a Suffolk County jury to-day of having accepted $50 from Abraham Zimmon "as a consideration for certain services to be performed by him in connection with his official capacity as inspector of buildings."

On six counts, three of which were in connection with the $50 gratuity and three dealing with $500 which, it is claimed, Clark requested as a gratuity, he was found not guilty.

The jury was out eighteen hours. When the verdict was reported Clark, his mother and wife and District Attorney John B. Moran were in the courtroom.

After hearing the verdict, Clark collapsed in the arms of his faithful wife, who has attended the trial every day. When he resumed his seat among the spectators she put her arm about his neck and whispered softly to him. On the witness stand Clark testified that he was troubled with heart disease. Mrs. Clark and a woman friend were the only women in the courtroom.

Jesse Dow Howe, counsel for Clark, after the clerk had read the document in which Clark was found guilty on the seventh count, made a motion to have the matter go over until next Tuesday that he might have an opportunity to confer with his client about filing a motion for a new trial.

District-Attorney John B. Moran said that he was willing to let the matter go over until next Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, but he said that at that time he would call the defendant for sentence.

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The appreciation of my recent announcements is proof convincing of the intelligence and readiness of lovers of good custom-made clothes to take advantage of the genuine SQUARE DEAL offer.

The peculiar advantages I (and I alone in New England) possess for obtaining my cloth direct from the manufacturers, and not from bankrupt tailors, enable me to name prices no other LEGITIMATE tailoring concern could possibly build custom-made clothes for. While they last, the balance of my enormous purchase for cash of Kerseys, Meltons, Friezes and Woof Overcoatings to order fit, workmanship, satisfaction and square deal absolutely guaranteed.

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Extraordinary Sale of $12 Suits

Our buyer, just back from Rochester, secured 725 exceptional suits in heavy weight cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds. Ordinarily these suits would retail at $15. They are unusually well tailored, the fabrics are all wool and you save just $3.00 off the regular price $12

Special Business Suits

About 250 Suits left from our great sale last week. $12 and $13.50 values in neat checks and stripes; also black and blue cheviots and serges, extremely strong, and serviceable, great value at . . $10

Extra Quality Suits

Our famous $15 hand tailored Suits that are the talk of the town. New grays, wood browns, fancy checks and overplaids, on Bell and Poole models. Sold at other shops for $18 and $20. Special at $15

Hand Tailored Suits

Attention is called to these Fall suits, made absolutely like custom. Never lose their shape. Beautiful patterns, not found elsewhere. Almost any tailor in Boston would charge you $35 for their equal. Our price $18

2000 Pairs Men's Trousers

Another great purchase, which means money saved for you. In very select patterns, neat stripes and checks, in worsteds and cheviots; peg top and conservative styles. Actual $4 and $4.50 values . . . $3

Stein-Bloch Suits and Overcoats $20—$25—$30

Money Saved on Furnishings

SPECIAL—100 Doz. President and Guyot Braces. The 50c kind. In all colors and lengths; the genuine imported make. Our price 39c

Fancy Bosom Shirts. Genuine imported designs, with two pairs of cuffs; regular $1.50 values 1.15

Pure Cashmere Hose, in black and natural shades. Pure wool and fast colors; regular 35c value (3 prs. for 50c) 19c

50c Neckwear for 25c. Only a few of a pattern, high grade silk four-in-hands 25c

Fall Heavy Ribbed Underwear. Genuine combed yarn, all sizes, 34 to 46. Regular 75c value, only 50c

Boys' Clothing at Bargain Prices

500 pairs Boys' Knickerbocker Pants, made to sell at $1.25, a lucky purchase. Heavy Grey Scotch Cheviots. For Friday and Saturday 79c

Boys' Two-Pant Suits. Four handsome shades of All-Wool Cassimere. Two pair pants with each coat; worth $4.00. Price 2.95

Children's Heavy Serge Russian Suits, also sailor style. In Blue, Brown and Royal Serges. 3 to 10 yrs.; actual $5 values. Price 3.48

800 Boys' $4 and $4.50 Suits, all sizes, in Cheviots, Worsteds and Tweeds, double-breasted coats and strongly sewed; worth $4 and $4.50 . . . . . 2.95

Special for Young Men—Wood Brown College Suits, absolutely $20 values, hand-tailored and all the new features of the latest cut. For Friday and Saturday 15.00

CAPTAIN BARS NEW NAVY SONG; SAILORS ANGRY

NORFOLK, Va., Oct. 4.—Enlisted men of the United States receiving ship Franklin appeal to the Navy Department because their chaplain, Captain W. T. Cowles, brother-in-law of President Roosevelt, commanding that ship, has refused to permit the band to play "Don't Scorn the Sailors," a song defending the uniform of the enlisted men.

Captain Cowles is quoted as saying that the song is making fools of the sailors, and if encouraged on board ship may lead to serious infractions of rules.

It is said that when Captain Cowles was returning to his ship after attending a dinner a number of sailors struck up the chorus as he passed them:

"Don't scorn the sailor, he's just as good as you.

Our President says you must respect his uniform of blue."

Harry F. Moore, of this city, composer of the song, says he has not the slightest idea why Captain Cowles should object to the song.

"Admiral Evans wrote me that he considered the song a good one," he said, "and had turned it over to the band of his flagship to be played for the benefit of his men."

STOP THE STRENUOUS LIFE

Weakens the Tissues and Lessens Organic Vitality.

The stress and strain of the strenuous life in both city and country tends towards stomach troubles.

The frantic rush for pleasure, money and excitement is bringing serious results. Elaborate food, late suppers, overeating and too much drinking are some of the causes of stomach weakness for which the individual is responsible.

Five people suffer to-day where one did ten years ago with sick headache, dizziness, flatulence, distress after eating, specks before the eyes, bloating, nervousness, sleeplessness and the many other symptoms of indigestion.

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WOULD AMEND BANK LAW TO AID DEPOSITORS

Attorney Swain Addresses Real Estate Exchange on 'Money for Mortgages.'

TALKS CO-OPERATIVE PLAN

Attorney William N. Swain addressed the Massachusetts Real Estate Exchange at the first dinner of the season of that body last evening and his subject was "Money and Mortgages." He suggested a remedy for its present scarcity, saying many loans made recently had proved poor investments and that individuals often relied upon brokers and investors for so much money as to obtain more than was safe and safe. He said the less he protected the mechanic against an honest interest and that savings banks preferred short-time loans to real estate loans. He said in part:

To Remedy Conditions.

"The remedy which I propose to meet, to a large extent, this condition may be explained as follows: Under the existing Massachusetts co-operative bank laws a depositor in such a bank puts in $1 a month or more, up to $25 a month, and continues this monthly payment until his $1 a month and accumulations to $200 amount to $200. This generally takes between twelve and thirteen years, the period also being to encourage the habit of regular and systematic saving of a small amount. When, however, the depositor has saved up this amount of $200 at the rate of $1 a month, or $2,000 at the rate of $10, as the case may be, he is compelled to take his money and get out of the bank. He is not allowed by the laws of Massachusetts to leave his money on deposit after it has matured, as the expression is used, viz., after it has reached the $200 limit.

"In the past five years, 1901 to 1906 inclusive, the Boston co-operative banks have paid out in matured shares $1,369,800, and during the same period of time all the co-operative banks in Massachusetts have paid out for matured shares $8,304,839.80. It is safe to say that at least one-half of two-thirds of this amount would never have been touched or drawn out by the depositor, but would have been left in the co-operative banks to be invested in real estate mortgages if it were not for this useful provision in the Massachusetts co-operative banking laws requiring it to be taken out.

Amend the Law.

"I believe that the present law should be amended to authorize the co-operative banks of Massachusetts to allow at the discretion of the depositor his matured shares on account to stand on deposit indefinitely in the bank, subject to a thirty or sixty day notice of withdrawal in full or in part, perhaps authorizing the bank directors, in their discretion, by vote or by their by-laws, to pay a rate of interest on such matured shares accounts not to exceed the rate paid the regular running accounts not matured.

"It is my intention to draft and present for passage such an amendment to the Massachusetts co-operative bank law at the coming session of the Legislature."

LEAVES MILLION IN PUBLIC BEQUESTS

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—A full $1,000,000 is devoted to educational, religious and charitable bodies by the will of D. Willis James, the philanthropist of this city, who died at Brenton Woods, R. I., on Sept. 19 last. Among the bequests are $100,000 each to Yale, Columbia and Amherst colleges.

FIRE IN SOUTH STATION, 1 HURT, CAR DESTROYED

One man was badly burned and another fell just in time to escape the flames when fire, caused by the explosion of a gas tank, destroyed one passenger car and damaged several others at the South Station to-day.

Frank Woods and a brakeman whose name is unknown were asleep in car No. 1220, one of a train of eight cars, on a siding outside the trainshed, when the explosion occurred. The brakeman fled, but Woods, believing that he could put out the fire, remained and tried to smother the flames with his coat. He was seriously burned about the face and hands and had to be taken to the Emergency Hospital.

By the time the Fire Department arrived the flames had communicated to the cars immediately in front and in the rear of the one where the explosion occurred, leaping across the track, they scorched three freight cars before the fire was under control. The total loss is estimated to be between $1,000 and $5,000.

ASK INDUSTRIAL NIGHT SCHOOLS

The Cambridge School Board has voted to request the Massachusetts Commission on Industrial Education to establish one or more industrial evening schools in Cambridge. By this action last night Cambridge becomes the first city in the State to take advantage of the new Massachusetts law permitting the establishment of industrial schools throughout the State.

If the request is granted the school will be established in the buildings of the Rindge Manual Training School or in the English High School, or perhaps in both.

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Men's Suits In neat dark worsteds and black thibets, suitable for dressy wear, also many rough Scotches and cheviots; just the thing for serviceable business wear. Many of these are positively all wool materials, and the fit will greatly surprise you. Regular $10.00 value, for **6.98**

Raincoats Have you a cravenette in your wardrobe? If not, don't overlook this great opportunity. The patterns are stylish, in black, dark gray and Scotch effects, and are guaranteed waterproof. A $11.50 coat for **7.39**

Men's Trousers An assortment that should satisfy, in gray striped worsted and fancy cheviots, cut to fit well and hang well. A value you would consider reasonable at 3.00 and 3.50. Special Saturday **1.98**

Fall Overcoats If you have not yet purchased, we have something exceptionally good to offer you in a nobby box coat, 36-inch length, made in all the dressy shades of gray, tan and striped effects. Regular $15.00 values. Special for Saturday **9.85**

Perfect Fitting 15.00 Suit 9.45

Nothing has been overlooked in the workmanship of this remarkable suit, which has all the appearance of custom tailoring, with broad, concave shoulders and a snug fitting collar. Made up in all the new fabrics, such as fancy worsteds, tweeds, cheviots and thibets and in checks and stripes. $15.00 value. Special price for Saturday, **9.45**

Powerful Specials for Boys and Girls

An immense assortment of **Russian, sailor and double breasted suits,** durable fall and winter material in rough Scotch effects, worsteds and blue and black thibets, good fitting cut, full sizes and will withstand the roughest wear. We doubt if you can duplicate for $3.00. Saturday's price **1.93**
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Again we offer the remainder of our **Boys' Fall Reefers in red and blue cheviots,** tan and olive coverts, and fancy checks. A Nobby Box Reefer that you will see worn by all the well dressed boys. Come early before sizes are broken, as they are remarkable values at $4.00 and $5.00. Special **2.98**
Street Floor.

Children's Coats, made of fancy mixtures and plain colors in cheviots and mellons, trimmed with piping of velvet and braids to match. Some with high collars and others with notch collars. Sizes 6 to 14. Regular price $5.00. Our special Saturday price **3.98**
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Flannelette Night Drawers for children, made of good quality flannelette in blue and white and pink and white stripes. Special for Saturday **29c**
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Children's Fall Coats, in box style, made of light weight ladies' cloth, lined throughout, velvet roll collar, finished with rows of stitching and fancy buttons. Colors gray, red and blue. Sizes 1 to 6. An endless variety of regular $4.00 coats. Special price **2.98**
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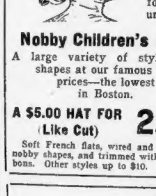
Millinery Specials for Saturday



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New and nobby styles.

Silk Mushroom Hats 2.98
Trimmed with taffeta bows.

Felt Shapes 1.25
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Untrimmed Velvet Shapes 1.49
All new mushroom shapes.

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The "Heywood," a strictly high grade shoe, and differ from the $5.00 grades only in the price. We have sold and warranted these shoes for the past ten years, and recommend as desirable in every way.

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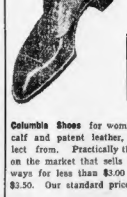

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Double-breasted two-piece suits, sizes 6 to 16 years, $2.75 to $10, including our famous Adams Square Suits at $5 and $6.

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Being the Sixth in a Series of Startling Adventures of Zara, Woman of Mystery.

One Chapter of This Story Will Be Printed Every Day This Week Except Saturday. The Next to the Last Chapter Will Be Published Friday, and the Solution Will Appear in Next Sunday's Boston American. This Gives You All Day Saturday to Write Your Solution and Try for a Share in the $100 Weekly Prize Offer.

BY ASA ROLAND.

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CHAPTER V.

THE absence of the red-painted stone, the strange behavior of the highwaymen and the inability of the police and private detectives to secure even the faintest clew to the whereabouts of the young woman had so intensified the mystery until I confessed to myself that I was utterly baffled.

Colston, too, it seemed to me, acted strangely. He seemed less anxious about the girl than he had been heretofore. That might have been a false impression, for he worked with me faithfully, suggesting many possible threads, all of which proved false.

There was but one resource left. That was to summon Zara to my assistance.

Up to the sixth day of the disappearance I had resisted the temptation to summon her, for I felt that the disappearance was nothing more mysterious than a successful Blank Hand kidnapping, which could be solved with money, of which there was plenty.

But the absence of the stone indicated by them as the place to deposit the money for the girl's release, and the appearance and disappearance of the highwaymen, doubtlessly connected with the Black Hand, indicated that they had been scared off by something. The death of the girl might be the result of the intimidation of the brigands.

I hesitated no longer but rang up the number she had given me on my return to the school.

A man's voice responded to the phone. I asked for Zara.

Without requesting my name or number, the voice at the other end told me to call again in an hour.

Zara.

An hour later, Zara and I were in communication over a wire that seemed to have a million vibrations per second.

After considerable shifting of wires we were able to hold a rational conversation. I went over my notes on the case from the awakening of Miss Elizabeth to the strange highwaymen.

"So you see the case is important enough to sanction this intrusion," I concluded.

"Do you really think so?" she inquired.

"Don't you?" I responded.

"No," she answered.

"But you perhaps don't understand," I persisted. "The Black Hand might—"

"I am awfully glad you called me just the same," she interrupted in a tone that told me she was greatly amused. "You say the police have found no clew in either the electric vehicle or the road wagon?"

"None whatever. They seemed to have melted away into the air."

"Don't you think it is possible that a balloon picked them up and dropped them on another road?" she inquired.

"Seriously?" I asked.

"Not at all," I heard the tinkling laugh. "only when one theorizes it is well to go to the extreme at once. One can get down to the facts more quickly then."

"Zara," I began rather disappointed at her flippancy, "I called you up for assistance."

"But you really don't need my assistance," she retorted. "Have you kept her father posted on your progress?"

"Yes," I replied; "we picked the Oceanic up on the wireless three hundred miles out and have been bulletining him every day."

"What does he say?"

"He increases the reward every day. Seems to have worked himself into a terrible condition."

Zara thought for a moment, at least she did not speak.

A Suggestion

"He is liable to have an apoplectic stroke if he arrives and you haven't any good news for him."

"It would be better for him to have the stroke on board ship," she replied. "Can't you print such a message from the ship surgeon?"

"Why, we can, I suppose; but we shall be called down for it when the ship gets into port."

"Do it now," retorted Zara.

I heard the receiver fall into place. She had disconnected.

The following morning startling intelligence reached me from several sources.

The detectives who had been working quietly in Montana reported that half a score of desperate characters of Butte had disappeared from their haunts.

After great difficulty they had been traced to a rendezvous in the mountains forty miles from the town. One of them afterward returning to town had become drunk and boasted of some mysterious power over Colbert.

At the same time the detectives working on the theatrical theory in New York, Chicago and Boston declared they had found a girl in the chorus of a new company, which was rehearsing, who bore a striking resemblance to Miss Colbert.

Detectives who had been shadowing Colston declared he had received a letter written in a feminine hand which had been posted in Boston. He had been in a gay humor since its receipt and neglected to report to me as usual.

And last, but not least, the morning mail brought the following communication from the Black Hand:

"We thot y wer up to trix. Put it under the ston tda. No trix."

Aside the crude drawing of a hand was the signature.

(To Be Concluded in the Boston Sunday American.)

CONTEST CONDITIONS

THIS story will run through the week. The final chapter, in which the mystery will be solved, will be printed in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

The only day on which an instalment of the story will appear will be Saturday. The next to the last chapter will be printed Friday, and then everybody will have until 6 p. m. Saturday in which to solve the mystery.

The person who solves the mystery most accurately will receive the first prize of $50.

If no one solves the mystery accurately, the one who comes nearest to a correct solution will receive the first prize.

REMEMBER

That this is a test of SKILL IN THINKING, not skill in writing. All you have to do to win first prize is to THINK OUT the solution of the mystery QUICKER than somebody else. The literary merit of the answers will not be considered.

That in case two or more answers are equally correct, the prizes will be awarded ACCORDING TO THE POSTMARKS ON THE ENVELOPES, the one mailed first receiving the first prize, etc.

That persons living at a distance from Boston have just as good a chance to win prizes as those who live right in Boston.

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Address all communications to PRIZE STORY EDITOR, BOSTON AMERICAN, No. 80 Summer street, Boston.

BONAPARTE WARNS RICH LAWBREAKERS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Attorney-General Bonaparte, when asked if it is the purpose of the department of justice to put some man of enormous wealth behind the bars for violating the laws, as indicated in the President's speeches, said:

"I hope all persons who have been so fortunate as to amass considerable wealth have done so by strict obedience to the law. If, however, it should turn out that, owing to the weaknesses of human nature, one or more of them have to some extent gone astray we may, perhaps, take such action as may recall them."

BREAKS AMERICAN RECORD IN AIRSHIP

COHOCTON, O., Oct. 4.—Riding a hurricane in rain and the darkness, Captain Frank Fuhr last evening made the longest trip in an airship on record in America—forty miles from Newark, near the Holmes County line in Coshocton County. His average speed for the fair in a gale 3,000 feet above the earth was 20,416.

MRS. BRADLEY TO GO ON TRIAL NOV. 1

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—November 11 has been fixed for beginning the trial of Mrs. Annie M. Bradley, under indictment for the murder of ex-Senator Arthur M. Brown of Utah last December.

NNED COTTON IS UNDER 1906 FIGURE

ASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Complete returns received by the census bureau show 10,997 bales of cotton ginned to September 25th, as compared with 2,057,283 last year to the same date. Active gin series reporting numbered 18,152, as compared with 20,416.

580 BOOKBINDERS NOW OUT ON STRIKE

With the recent additions to the striking bookbinders of Boston, Cambridge and Norwood, 580 are now out in the three places. In the fight that they are making for an eight-hour day the men expect to win.

BOYNTON CO. ASKS APPROVAL OF STOCK

The Boynton Bicycle Electric Railway Company has petitioned the Railroad Commissioners for approval of an issue of $50,000 capital stock and $500,000 bonds, under requirements of acts of 1907, for construction of railway between Quincy and Brockton.

GREEN BIRD SOLOIST GONE; FEAR SUICIDE

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 4.—John C. Nichols, who was a soloist in the now disbanded Green Bird Company, and who came here Saturday to accept a position in a local theatre, has been missing from his hotel three days, leaving all his effects, and since he was despondent suicide is feared.

Father John's Medicine For Coughs and Colds

No poisonous drugs. Guaranteed.

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WOLF'S

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Wolf's Special Hats 1.97

These famous hats have no equal at the price—they will really give you $3 worth of wear. If one should go wrong we'll give you a new hat. Black and brown derbies—black, pearl and brown telescope styles.

"Fluffy Ruffles" Hats 4.98

"Fluffy Ruffles" is one of Dame Fashion's proudest Fall successes. We've a special lot of beauties at $4.98—with full, smartly fashioned fluffs of fine feathers. Worth a dollar more than we ask.

Alterations at Wolf's

But we can attend to your wants just as effectively and economically as ever. Alterations are progressing smoothly and rapidly. Shoring up the building has necessarily been slow work; but that is all attended to now. The dividing walls have been practically removed and the steel girders put in place. The rest is plain sailing; and within another week or so we shall hope to have the pleasure of asking you to look over what we have done.

Improvements always spell growth. Continuous improvements, like ours, signify continuous growth. We've steadily improved for over twenty years. Any day and every day we intend to be doing better by you than the day before. Not perfect yet. Never likely to be—but trying to do the best possible store keeping with all the help that opportunity, experience and closest watching can supply.

Men's Top Coats

A variety of styles that's big enough and full enough of attractive novelties to meet the tastes of the most exacting buyers. $10

The painstaking tailoring work and the clever style character of each garment is so unmistakable as to attract immediate attention $12

The lines of each coat embody the newest of this season's individual features—especially as to the new lengths and shaping of the backs $15

Every coat is dependable in every sense of the word—bearing our guarantee of money's worth or "Your money back if you want it." $25

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None but reliable makers contribute to Wolf's stocks. Pay whatever price suits you best—you can rely upon getting the best to be had at that price. You buy satisfaction as well as clothes here.

$10 $12 $15 $18 $20 $25

Men's Rain Coats

Value $12.00 9.50

Made from eravenetted rain proof materials in dark worsted effects; lined with Venetian cloth. You can't equal them at $12—nor buy better at even $13.50.

Others $12 $15 $18 20

Furnishings for Now

GLOVES for street or dress. Made from heavy cape skin; every pair kept in repair for six months free of charge. $1.50 value 1.15

NECKWEAR in the ever popular straight or cross stripes; every style and color that's up to the minute 49c

SWEATERS, all wool coat styles in pearl, gray, garnet, white and navy. Regularly made in full sizes; special price. 3.48

UNDERWEAR, strictly all wool grade of white and natural; shirts 34 to 50; drawers 30 to 50. $1.50 values 98c

Boys' Fall Suits

Value $4.95 3.95

Fancy worsteds and cassimeres in the swagger brown and gray shades; plain and fancy cheviots, heavy weight blue serges; double breasted, knickerbocker or plain trousers.

Others 1.95, 2.95, 4.95, 7.50

Special in Gloves

We are going to give you the benefit of a bit of clever buying on our part. These gloves sell regularly at $3.25—here and everywhere else. They're made from a good black kid in sixteen button lengths with three clasps. Sizes 5¾ to 7½. Come today to-morrow 2.50

Three Big Values

We Make All Needed Alterations Absolutely Free Of Cost

We Will Trim Woman's Hats Free of Charge

Fall Suits 10.98

$15 VALUES. Stylish wool mixtures, 30-inch Prince Chap coats, turn back cuffs; skirt in full 16 gore effects.

Fall Coats 9.98

$15 VALUES. Heavy black kersey, collarless, with full auto back, novelty plaited turn back cuffs; velvet and silk braid trimmings.

Fall Suits 14.98

$20 VALUES. Single or double breasted mannish coats; black, navy, brown, broadcloth or cheviot; 19 gore plaited skirts, broad fold around bottom.

Two Big Waist Bargains

TAILOR-MADE WAISTS worth $1.50 marked to sell at 98c. In the newest Fall styles—come in a variety of beautifully patterned Madras. 98c

LINGERIE WAISTS, worth from $4 to $5, marked to sell at $2.98. Pretty lace and Hamburg trimmings, buttoned back, long or ¾ sleeves. 2.98

Babies' Coates

Made of red flannel in a good serviceable quality; double breasted in style; finished with brass buttons and belted back. For ages 3 to 6 years 3.49

Women's Sweaters

Splendid showing of coat style sweaters in fine qualities of all-wool yarns; the colors are white, red, gray, navy and black. We specify two values which are priced especially low at 1.98 2.98

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Men's Clothing

We sell clothing that is stylish, will fit and wear well. We take careful pains to see that we sell only well made clothing that will give you satisfaction, and which will satisfy you so well that you will continue to trade with us, and bring your friends' trade to us as well. We have some special bargains for to-morrow which you can pay cash for or charge to your account, just as you wish.

Broken Lots, Regular Sizes . . . 7.50

A Fine Assortment at 15.00

Men's Shoes, Calf, Velour or Patent . . 3.50

Women's Clothing

Any woman who is interested in stylish suits should visit our department and examine our line. The bargains in this department will appeal to you when you view the superb display of this Fall's garments and note the large variety of styles and prices. If you don't see your way clear to pay at once for any purchase you would like to make, open an account and have your purchases charged to you. We have thousands of people trading with us this way, and we would be glad to add your name to our list.

SPECIAL TOMORROW

Ladies' Suits, a Lot of Broken Sizes, at 10.00

Ladies' Suits, a Fine Range of Suits, at 18.00

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LEAGUE CONVENTION PEOPLE'S KEYNOTE

Enthusiasm Augurs Well for State Fight.

The convention of the Independence League of Massachusetts, which nominated a full State ticket in Faneuil Hall yesterday, with Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield for Governor, was a gratifying surprise to the friends of the League and a shock to its opponents. The enthusiasm of the convention was even greater than had been anticipated. From start to finish it was one of the most harmonious and successful that Massachusetts politics has known.

400 DELEGATES ON HAND.

Mr. Hisgen, the great independent of Western Massachusetts, father of the anti-discrimination bill which met its death at the Legislature in June through Republican trickery, will make the fight with these running mates: S. Gerry Brown of Brockton for Lieutenant Governor, Dennis J. Ring of Lowell for Secretary of State, William N. Osgood of Lowell for Attorney-General, Edward J. Cantwell of Fall River for State Treasurer, Thomas Flaherty of Clinton for State Auditor.

Out of the 484 delegates entitled to seats in Faneuil Hall, no less than 324 were accounted for early in the day by Chairman William F. Pierson of Hudson for the Committee on Credentials. So many others came along by later trains that it is safe to place the number of authorized delegates on hand at close to 400. No finer 400 had ever assembled in old Faneuil Hall.

They came 7 strong from Barnstable county, 29 from Bristol, 17 from remote Berkshire, 26 from Hampden, 8 from Hampshire, 24 from Franklin, 94 from Essex, 51 from Middlesex, 25 from Norfolk, 11 from Plymouth, 28 from Worcester and 90 from Suffolk.

Features of Big Convention.

The convention opened nearly an hour late, at 11:50 o'clock, but less than two hours the schedule had broken down. A thirty-minute recess became necessary. Final adjournment was delayed until 4:30.

All of which is here set down as indicating how far from the cut and dried was this convention of independents.

And what were the features of this five-hour conventicle?

They were too numerous to mention. The straightforward declaration of principles in the platform splendidly read by former Mayor Walter I. Randall of Lynn; the manly speech of acceptance and the inspiring presence of Plain Tom Hisgen; the nominating speeches of George W. Curtis of Springfield, the Rev. Edward D. Sawyer of Haverhill, Mr. Ramsdell, Dr. Copeland of Fall River, Captain Thomas Estes of Roxbury and Anson B. Fogerty of Boston; the march of the delegates around and around the hall when the nominating speeches were all in; the address of State President William N. Osgood of Lowell; the unswerving enthusiasm of the 400 delegates, and, finally, the story of Tom Hisgen's goodness of heart by his bowsed chum—now totally blind—Washington Color of Dorchester.

THE PLATFORM, most notable message of its kind addressed to the electorate of Massachusetts within a generation, will be found in full to-day on the editorial page of the BOSTON AMERICAN.

Mr. Osgood made a speech which aroused the enthusiasm of the convention.

"I am optimistic of American ideals and American citizenship," said Chairman Osgood. "Millions of our citizens know the right remedies for public evils, they are upon every street corner and in every work shop.

"They are merely powerless because standing alone. They need only the organizing potency of a political party like the Independence League to cement them together and secure united and irresistible action.

Political Action Required.

"An opportunity for political action is all they demand or require. The times are rapidly changing. There is ample character and patriotism in the community.

"It has only lacked cohesion in the past. There is evidence to every hand of a widespread popular awakening of those devoted to the theory of popular government and deriving our institutions.

"Leagues are springing up all over the land, not self-constituted or the plant and subscription servants of bosses, but the chosen servants of the sovereign people.

"How long we may behold a great national popular convention unequaled by any popular convention held in the United States since the Civil War, and possibly by any since the earliest days of the Republic.

"At 2:35 o'clock, on motion of Charles O. Power of Boston, the convention took up nominations, and Secretary Curtis of the State Committee, amid scenes of great enthusiasm, presented the name of Thomas L. Hisgen.

Mr. Curtis said in part:

"Believing that our cause is right, faithful to the principles of independence and honesty in politics, as well as in private and business life, welcoming the coming of a new day and a new era, when public spirit must rule and political trickery must fall, we are assembled in convention this day for the purpose of reiterating our principles, of placing in nomination and in nomination candidates for the offices of this Commonwealth.

"We favor not only a strong platform for the League, but also a strong candidate for each and every office to be voted for at the approaching State election.

"I shall present you a candidate for the highest office in the State—a man of the sturdy, stalwart type of Independence Leaguer, a monument of honesty, a towering granite shaft of positive character and, though a forceful, a modest man withal.

Unswerving Fighter for Right.

"Born in Indiana, he came East and first embarked on the tempestuous sea of business life in Albany.

"In him we have a citizen who is the personification of the plank in our platform against the trusts—those criminal combinations.

"He is the only man who has ever picked up the gauntlet the Standard Oil Octopus has cast to the ground and not regretted it—an unflattering, unswerving, fearless fighter for the right; modest, honest, lovable, a noble exemplar of righteousness—the best-liked man in the Commonwealth for its governor.

"Gentlemen, I formally present for your consideration as candidate for the gubernatorial nomination of the Independence League of Massachusetts, Thomas L. Hisgen of West Springfield."

The convention didn't wait to hear more. The Rev. Mr. Sawyer was on the platform. He had been recognized by the chair. He was just about to begin a speech seconding the nomination when the convention broke away from Osgood, delegates reached for the standards designating the locations by counties throughout the hall, Hisgen banners appeared, Bradford's excellent A. F. of M. band struck up "Hail to the Chief" and hundreds began a Hisgen march, around and around the hall.

Then the Rev. Mr. Sawyer began, to be interrupted at once by "three cheers more for Hisgen." The cheers were given and Mr. Sawyer began. In the Standard Oil exposures, he declared, the best man to typify the popular will was a man who had been successfully fighting the greatest American monopoly. Said Mr. Sawyer, on this line:

Preacher Praises Hague.

"Mr. Chairman—I appear at this convention as a clergyman, not with any design to bring religion in any way into this campaign, but rather to bring conscience into our politics.

"I respectfully submit that what Massachusetts politics needs most of all is a little, yea, a good dose, of the old-fashioned downright honesty of the fathers.

"And I come up here from Essex County because from recent events it seems to me that the old-fashioned honesty is to get a hearing in the City of Boston it will have to be brought in. I appear at this convention because my own conscience was challenged by the principles of the Independence League, and I could not do otherwise—and I am convinced that in November those voters who follow the dictates of an enlightened conscience will be found voting for the candidates to-day nominated.

"Mr. Chairman, I rise in behalf of the county of Essex to second the nomination of Thomas L. Hisgen for Governor of this Commonwealth.

Trust Leaders Consummate Thieves

"All along the line the great monopolistic abuses like the railroads, telegraph and telephone, coal trusts, steel trusts, are being pointed out and the stopping of their unjust methods demanded. But perhaps best of all is this awakening of the people, seen in the magnificent action of the people toward that most stupendous and outrageous monopoly of all, Standard Oil.

"Henry D. Lloyd ten years ago exposed its methods in his book, 'Wealth vs. Commonwealth,' but the time was not ripe and the robber laughed in his sleeve. But when Ida Tarbell wrote her exposure the time was ripe, and now the people see that though Rockefeller gave millions to the Baptists and Rogers built a temple to the Unitarians, yet they are both but a pair of the most consummate thieves that ever disgraced human flesh.

"And Mr. Chairman, I think it very fitting that when the people are striking at Standard Oil as the representative of the whole line of monopolies, I think it peculiarly fitting that we should offer to them for the standard bearer of our reform party a man who has fought, and will fight as long as breath is in his body, the Standard Oil system.

Hisgen and John D. Compared.

"Thomas L. Hisgen is everything that John D. Rockefeller is not. In a peculiar way he symbolizes honest business methods and free Yankee enterprise as against trust extortions and monopolistic suppression.

"We can offer to the voters of the Bay State as our standard bearer in this fight against entrenched monopoly the man who with marvelous heroism has all his life fought the worst monopoly of them all—we give every man a chance to approve or disapprove the crimes committed by Standard Oil and the robber trusts, and therefore, Mr. Chairman, on behalf of Essex County, I heartily second the nomination of Thomas L. Hisgen of Springfield for Governor." (Prolonged applause).

Pandemonium Reigned.

And Thomas L. Hisgen was declared the unanimous nominee of the Independence League for Governor of Massachusetts. This was at 3:16. A committee was sent out to inform him, and to request his presence. There was none of the theatrical or impressive delay characteristic of old-line politics. Mr. Hisgen came into the hall at 3:19.

Pandemonium reigned. The candidate was cheered and cheered again. He was smiling, bowing and shaking hands as he worked his way through his admirers to the stage.

Richard A. Hennessy, the well-known labor leader of Springfield, pressed a "wish-bone" into his hands. Mr. Hisgen laughed and thanked him.

The convention was still cheering as Hisgen mounted the platform. It was 3:21 when he began a brief speech of thanks.

E. Gerry Brown Nominated.

The choice of a candidate for Lieutenant-Governor was next in order. Mayor Ramsdell lauded E. Gerry Brown of Brockton as a man truly representative of the cause of the wage earner in Massachusetts.

The committee on the balance of the ticket then proposed the names of Messrs. Ring, Osgood, Cantwell and Flaherty. The committee was made up of Thomas E. Flaherty, Clinton; Alexander Cohen, Boston; Charles O. Power, Boston; Richard A. Hennessy, Springfield; Allen M. Richards, Cambridge; J. L. Eddy, Needham, and William J. Lynch, Lawrence.

THE LEAGUE TICKET.

For Governor,
Thomas L. Hisgen, West Springfield.

For Lieutenant-Governor,
E. Gerry Brown, Brockton.

For Secretary of State,
Dennis J. Ring, Lowell.

For Attorney-General,
William N. Osgood, Lowell.

For State Treasurer,
Edward J. Cantwell, Fall River.

For State Auditor,
Thomas E. Finnerty, Clinton.

LEAGUE DEMANDS ACTION ON STRIKE OF TELEGRAPHERS

Not entirely satisfied with the platform's declaration for "the public ownership of those public utilities which are public monopolies," the Independence League convention adopted a resolution condemning the action of the Western Union and the Postal Telegraph Companies in the present strike and demanding such action by state and national authorities as may relieve the demoralization of the telegraph service.

The resolution, introduced and read by the Hon. Walter L. Ramsdell of Lynn, is as follows:

Whereas, The two great telegraph systems, the Western Union and the Postal Companies, responsible to the people for their valuable franchises, which enable them to pay large dividends upon a capital stock of many times its estimated value, have from time to time during the past ten years of continued prosperity refused all demands of their employees, comprising thousands of skilled operators, for an increased wage and improved working conditions to enable them to meet at least in part the increased cost of the necessities of life, and

Whereas, In final endeavor to secure such concessions, after having exhausted all honorable means, these employees have been obliged to resort to the alternative of retiring from the service of said companies rather than sacrifice their manhood and womanhood, and

Whereas, Said strike, having continued for a period of eight weeks, causing immense losses to the business community and great inconvenience to the general public without any effort on the part of the company to adjust said differences, thereby ignoring the responsibility imposed upon them by the favor of the public franchises; therefore be it

Resolved, that this convention severely condemns the action of both telegraph companies and demands that the authorities of the State and nation shall take such action as will force said companies to relieve the demoralization that exists in the telegraph service of the country and such further action as shall deter mine whether the existing compact between the two companies is in violation of the anti-trust law, thereby subjecting them to heavy penalties and the revocation of their charters.

Higsen Named as Head of Independence Ticket.

FAIR GROUNDS, Brockton, Oct. 4. It was decided by the officials of the fair association this morning to postpone all the track events and horse show to Saturday forenoon, when it is expected that the track will have dried out from its wetting and be in excellent shape.

The stewards matter is being contested to-day, it taking more than a rain storm to kill the courage of the fire ladies.

The postponement brings a new stewards' card for to-morrow, as outside of the five horse races, not attended here since programme, consisting in part of championship classes, there are the amateur athletic events, with a very large entry, of the best men in New England.

VAUDEVILLE AT CITY CLUB

Several hundred members and guests who attended the season's opening of the Boston City Club last evening to-day expressed the opinion that it was the most enjoyable social gathering in the history of the organization.

The utmost goodfellowship ruled, and all were delighted with the vaudeville show staged by the officers and committee in charge, which followed a dinner given to the officers and invited guests.

A short business session was held to make changes in the by-laws necessitated by the great growth of the club during the year, the membership now numbering 1,200.

President Geofrey B. Lohr and Francis Hurnside, Jr., spoke enthusiastically of the organization's work and its promise for the future.

PATENT FAILURE, ENDS LIFE BY GAS

SEATTLE, Oct. 4.—Despite a prolonged illness and disappointment over his failure to perfect a patent for a street car generator, Captain A. J. Chalk, former manager of the Sunset Telephone Company, committed suicide to-day by inhaling illuminating gas.

RACES GO OVER AT BROCKTON

COREYS ON HUNTING TRIP IN MICHIGAN

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—William E. Corey, president of the Steel Trust, passed through here to-day enroute from New York to Watermeet, Michigan, for a hunting trip. He was accompanied by Mrs. Mabelle Gillman Corey, his friend, Mrs. Georgette Giffault, from Paris, A. A. Corey and John McLean, a director of the Steel Trust.

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BOSTON CITY DEBT NOW AT $103,569,856

$3,052,400 Increase Shown Since January 1 by Report of Auditor Mitchell.

FINANCE BOARD'S FUNDS

The gross city debt of Boston has reached the stupendous figures of $103,569,856, and the net city debt $76,912,078, according to the monthly exhibit of City Auditor J. Alfred Mitchell, issued today. This is an increase since January 1 of $3,052,400 in the gross debt and $2,611,376 in the net debt.

In addition to this tremendous debt there is outstanding a debt authorization of $4,182,450, not yet issued. The net debt of $70,912,078 is divided as follows: City debt, $5,248,787; county debt, $2,456,591; Cochituate water debt, $800,920, and rapid transit debt, $12,402,779. The city's borrowing capacity for the remainder of the year is but $86,157.17.

The figures show that out of its appropriation of $50,001 the Finance Commission had spent, up to October 1, but $5,576.72, thus putting at rest the expressed fears of some people that they may run out of money before their investigation is completed.

Although the debt is at high-water mark for the year, it shows but little increase comparatively over the preceding month, the increase in the gross debt being $357, 200 and in net debt, $358,633.

LED TO BIG OIL STRIKE BY DREAM

OIL CITY, Oct. 4.—"I had a great dream," said Jacob Fennell of Fennellton to his wife one morning recently. "I saw two oil derricks out there on the hillside and the oil was spouting up hundreds of feet and running away in a gully in a great stream."

Fennell marked the spot, and later indured operators to develop the lease. As a result ten of the biggest wells in what is the best pool ever struck in Butler County are yielding 500 barrels a day.

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FOUR WOMEN ARE ATTACKED BY PROWLER

Plainfield Aroused by Mysterious Night Attacks of Thug.

2 VICTIMS ILL FROM SHOCK

Special to the Boston American.

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Oct. 4.—Headed by Constable Daniel Crotty, a posse of young men of Plainfield are preparing to post themselves as sentries all over that town tonight to capture a man who, with in the past six days, has frightened four women, two of whom are seriously ill from shock. As a result of the thug's prowling around the streets during the night, women of the town are in terror.

They are afraid so much as even to show their faces out of door after twilight and the men of Plainfield are vowing vengeance upon the prowler, should they catch him.

Woman is Attacked.

As Miss Hattie Coombs was going to her home along Pleasant street, in Plainfield, last night, a man leaped from the bushes alongside the road and seized her. She screamed and fought desperately and at last managed to free herself from him.

As fast as she could, and pursued by the man, the young woman fled for her home, which was not far distant, and she managed to reach the door of her home, when she fell in a faint.

Her father and several neighbors started out to find the prowler, but he had escaped.

Last Tuesday night Mrs. Catherine Cheever of South street, Plainfield, who had been visiting a neighbor started for her home at about 9:30 o'clock when a man tried to seize her. Mrs. Cheever was too quick for him, however, and fled to her home. The shock proved so serious that she has been confined to her bed ever since.

Sisters Pursued.

Two sisters, Mary and Agnes Ewen, aged seventeen and nineteen, of Bacon Square, were going to their homes last Saturday evening, when the same mysterious man leaped from the bushes back of the Plainfield jewelry factory and started after them, using insulting language. The young women showed fight and pushed the man away and then ran to their home.

Plainfield is today excited as it never was before, and the men of the town are planning to be in wait tonight in hopes that they may be able to capture the mysterious prowler. Many of them are vowing summary vengeance if he is captured.

GUIDE BOYD TRIED FOR MANSLAUGHTER

FARMINGTON, Me., Oct. 4.—Herbert Boyd, a Rangeley guide, was arraigned in the Franklin County Superior Court on an indictment alleging manslaughter, the indictment charging that the alleged assault was committed upon Henry Blow held with a knife, an auger handle and some stones.

PIONEER COTTAGER OF NEWPORT DEAD

NEWPORT, R. I., Oct. 4.—Miss Florence Lyman, aged seventy, died suddenly at her Webster street villa at Newport after a brief illness. Miss Lyman was a daughter of the late Charles F. Lyman of No. 14 Walnut street, Boston, who was a pioneer Newport cottager. Miss Annie Lyman, her niece, has been with her all summer and in her present sickness.

ITCHING TORTURE OF LITTLE BABY

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DEATH NOTICES.

BRAMAN—In Dorchester, Oct. 3, Ruth Myrtle, youngest child of Daniel H. and Annie Gray Braman, 6 mos. 24 ds. Interment at Sturbridge, Mass.

CALLAHAN—In this city, Oct. 3, Timothy F., beloved husband of Peter C. and Ellen Callahan. Funeral from his late residence, 39 Mystic st., Saturday, Oct. 5, at 8 o'clock. Funeral mass at the Cathedral at 10 o'clock. Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend.

CARL—In Jamaica Plain, Oct. 3, Alvin Carl, 35 yrs.

Funeral services at his late residence, 187 F st., Saturday, Oct. 5, at 2 p. m. Kindly omit flowers.

CASEY—In South Boston, Oct. 3, Catherine, widow of John J. Casey.

Funeral from her late residence, 187 F st., Saturday, Oct. 5, at 8 a. m., thence to Church of St. Vincent a church at 9:45 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

COX—In South Boston, Oct. 2, Robert Cox, a native of Ireland, aged 78 yrs. Residence, 31 G st. Saturday, Oct. 5, at 9:15 a. m. Solemn requiem at St. Peter's church at 10 o'clock.

DAVIDSON—In East Boston, Elenor Jane, widow of Samuel Davidson.

Funeral from Monument Methodist, Bethel, Friday, Oct. 4, at 2 p. m.

DELORY—In East Milton, Oct. 2, John H. Delory, 35 yrs.

Funeral notice later.

DENSMORE—At City hospital, Oct. 3, Margaret E., beloved wife of Wm. M. Densmore, 49 yrs.

Funeral from residence of her son-in-law, James A. McMahon, 45 Pierce st., Hyde Park, Saturday, Oct. 5, at 8 a. m. High mass of requiem, 9:30 a. m., Our Lady's church, Dorchester Lower Mills, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

DEATH NOTICES.

FARRELL—In Everett, Oct. 3, Dorothy Frances, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Farrell, aged 2 mos. 2 ds.

Funeral from the residence of her parents, 152 Main st., Saturday, Oct. 5, at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HARRIS—In Searchlight, Nev., Sept. 30, Samuel W. Harris, beloved husband of Mary V. Sweeney of Beachmont, Mass. Boston, Portland, Maine, and Biddeford papers please copy.

HINES—In South Boston, Oct. 2, Dorothy C., beloved child of Hugh J. and Nellie C. Hines (formerly Dorothy C. Egan), aged 3 yrs. 10 mos.

Funeral from parents' residence, 15 Ivaloo st., Saturday, Oct. 5, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HATCHELL—In Somerville, Oct. 3, Ellen Marie, daughter of the late James E. and Mary E. Hatchell.

Funeral from her late residence, 24 Dana st., Saturday, Oct. 5, at 8:30 a. m., thence to Church of the Assumption, Cambridge, at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

HAWES—In South Boston, Oct. 3, William F., beloved husband of the late William and Mary Hawes (nee Ward).

Funeral from the residence of his sister, Mrs. James Murphy, 627A Broadway, Saturday, at 8:15 a. m. Requiem mass at St. Vincent's church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. New York papers please copy.

KENNALLY—At Malden, Oct. 3, Jeremiah J. Kennally, 54 yrs.

Funeral from the family residence, 580 Pleasant st., Malden, Saturday morning at 8:30, thence to St. John Church of Immaculate Conception at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited to attend.

DEATH NOTICES.

RYAN—In Roxbury, Oct. 2, Elizabeth C., daughter of Margaret and the late Michael Ryan of Ballinasloe, Ireland.

Funeral from her late residence, 75b Parker st., Saturday, at 8:15 a. m., thence to St. Mosco church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited.

SMITH—In Welland, Ont., Adelaide F. Smith, 64 yrs. Services at the residence of her sisters, 64 Avon st., Cambridge, Friday, Oct. 4, at 2 p. m.

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Contentment Is the Secret of Happiness Whatever Your Lot

By Beatrice Fairfax

God's in His heaven, all's right with the world.
—Robert Browning.

ARE you discontented, dissatisfied with life and what it is bringing you?

Discontent of a certain sort is wholesome, for it spurs you on to do better things.

But the discontent that makes a soured, peevish girl is not wholesome for you and it is very unpleasant for all your friends.

Life may bring you a good many trials, but think it over and see if your joys don't outweigh them.

The trouble about most of us is that while we herald our woes broadcast, boring everybody to extinction with them, we talk comparatively little about our joys.

Joy we take for granted and are not half enough thankful for.

Comfort in Woes

IT is not uncommon to hear one woman say to another, "Oh, the troubles that I have known!"

You never hear her say, "Oh, the joys that I have known!"

Why is it, I wonder? Why should we parade our troubles and hide our joys? It's wrong. We should be in a state of continual gratitude for the mercies shown us.

You are no worse off than your neighbor, but remember that your fate is the common fate of all. "Into each life some rain must fall; some days must be dark and cold and dreary."

But it is only "some" days, not every day.

If you are tryingly live the best life you can and to do your work to the best of your ability you should live in sweet content.

This continual striving to get ahead of our neighbor, the everlasting hurry we all live in, is bound to produce a type of face that will be far from lovely.

Instead of being marked by content, it will be a network of lines drawn by worry, peevishness and discont.

We see many old ladies whose faces are the embodiment of placid, sweet content. I wonder if their grandchildren will look as placid when they reach that age?

Cause for Thanks

YOU all have a great deal to be thankful for, dear girls. Most of you have youth and health and congenial work to do, and yet often you are sadly discontented and grumble a great deal. Just think how very much worse off you might be.

Yesterday I met two cripples walking along through the South Station. Both were sadly deformed, but one was much worse than the other.

The stronger of the two was helping the other along, and both were chatting in the brightest, cheeriest way.

Life's handicap was pretty severe for these two people, but they were evidently making the best of things.

I was in a discontented mood myself, but, I tell you, I got out of it pretty quickly when I saw those two cheerful, uncomplaining faces and I felt thoroughly ashamed of myself.

Put ugly discontent away from you and bear in mind that the key to all a greater measure of joy than it does of sorrow.

How We Can Avoid the Sad Tragedy of Helpless Old Age

By Blanche Walsh

OLD AGE! The tragedy that comes she is a human being and one of God's creatures.

marks the ultimate destiny of each and every human life.

Every day that we live we feel its imminence and in horror we turn from the thought, but there is none among us who may avoid the inevitable.

The awfulness of age—uncared for and uncomforted — was strikingly shown the other day when a woman tried to end her life by drowning in Lake Michigan, and wept when her suicidal attempt proved a failure, declaring that she had outlived her usefulness in this world, and that she yearned for the rest and peace of a quiet grave or the joys of another world—if such a world there be.

"I wanted to die," she sobbed, "I am too old to be of any further use. I decided that death would be preferable to dishonesty. I AM HORRIBLY POOR."

Text for a Sermon

What a text from which to preach a sermon! This woman was less than fifty-five years old.

And yet, under existing conditions, in the sphere of life in which she dragged out her miserable existence, this world held nothing more of worth or pleasure to her.

She was too feeble to work and earn her bread with her seven and allotted hands; accordingly, from her viewpoint, there was left for her nothing to do, and that was to end it all.

My heart ached for this creature when I read in the newspapers of her thwarted attempt at self-destruction and her pitiful plea to those who had frustrated her purposes. And the most terrible, the most heartbreaking sidelight on the affair is that: *From her point of view the woman was justified in her act!*

There was, seemingly, no one to whom she could turn in her bitter hour. She was physically incapable of course, hard, manual labor—the only sort of work she could perform. She would not steal, and the cold beneficence of the organized city charities, with their system of interminable questionings and prying into private affairs, was abhorrent to her.

I know that the citizens duly told the police officers will them in by mind for days to come.

It is the shame of society that such things can be. And cases like this are plentiful enough. We know too few of the everyday tragedies of the poor.

The remedy is in the hands of every city, in every town, there should be institutions of some sort where an old woman or man could go and be cared for, be

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Provide a Real Home

The noblest thing of all would be a home for aged men or women that would be received upon application, without legal process and also publicity.

At present public institutions have a characteristic appearance, all the world unlike a home. Some more fortunate change who love the work, not mere salaried helpers. The latter are the most pitiable.

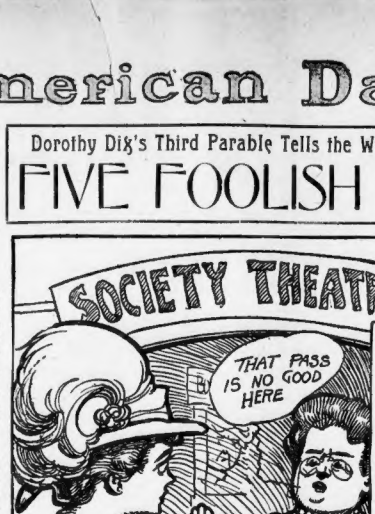
It is to the mothers that Uits world owes everything. It is to them we look. And no one of them is old and feeble and poor, let them look to us. We should do our duty. Abolish the use of the word "charity." We are all God's children.

Surely unfortunate cripples should be likewise assisted. We more fortunate persons have the Lord to thank for our good health.

The cripples are God's creatures, too. They are our brothers and sisters. We should speedily go to the rescue of our unfortunate brothers and sisters. They do not want "charity." They want sympathy as well as support.

LINEN USED FOR CUFFS

ONE of the pretty novelties of the season is a linen cuff with brown linen collar and cuffs. This is made with adjustable cuffs that are narrow and wider in the back than front. White linen is also used for these collars and cuffs, but the brown linen is much more effective.



Dorothy Dix's Third Parable Tells the Woes of Another of the

FIVE FOOLISH VIRGINS

This foolish virgin couldn't get to see the man she wanted, because his women folk, who had suffered from the foolish one's tongue, wouldn't let her.

THIS is the parable of the third foolish virgin:

Now there was a certain maiden, who thought to make herself popular with men by always knocking her own sex and declaring that she had no use for women.

She was one of those girls who always be around in a trance as long as there are only females present, but who wake up and become as animated as a moving picture the minute anything in the trousers line heaves in sight. She carried also a nice assortment of penetrating small talk, and could make herself highly agreeable to the callow youth, or a stuffed waste of raw material to hand any of her accomplishments out to her sister woman.

"It seems to me," said the Foolish Virgin, who was, indeed, all to the Crazy House, "it seems to me that it is Rank Extravagance to bestow your smiles where there is Nothing Doing, and I do not wish to Marry a Man's Mother or Sister. I do not see why I should put myself out to try to Fascinate them, so I am going to Practice the Perfect Refrade and put in my Work where it will bring in the Most Returns."

Overlooked One Point

This Course of Reasoning Sounded Good, but there was one Small Point that the Foolish Virgin had overlooked in planning out her campaign, and that was that the Women run society, and that all that Men do is to Tag along behind, and Pay the Bills.

This is important, but because a Man supports his Home does not give him the Privilege of Inviting anyone to it, and No Man's O. K. Will Pass a Woman Into a Select Circle.

Thus is the Game Played.

So it was not long before the Foolish Virgin found out that while Men admired her, and enjoyed her Society, she was not Asked to the Small Affairs that show that you are the Social Goods, nor was she overrun with bids for Weeks' Ends, where an Astute Maiden gets a Real Chance at the Eligibles.

This greatly surprised her, but she would have gone on Being a Wise Guy to the Last If she could have butted in unseen to the Ben Hur Party that Handles the Blackball.

"No doubt," said a Stout Lady with Grizzled Hair, "no doubt that She Is Pretty and Clever, but I do not care to invite anyone to my House Who Snubs Me, and Flirts With My Husband."

"It is True that He likes her, but I don't, and so what I say Goes," said Mr. Shebang. "I have given her the Double Cross, and henceforth all that she will get of Our Country House will be the Glimpse she catches from the Car Window as she goes by."

How It Goes

"She says that the Conversation of Women Bores her," purred the girls, "and as we do not wish to afflict her with our Feminine Chatter, we have quit asking her to any of our Dove Luncheons, although at these Innocuous Functions we Dope out the Lists of the Exclusive Affairs, and Settle Who's Who, and Who is to Be at the Smart Events. Without Doubt She is Delighted to Escape Anything So Tame as a Gathering Where There are No Men, but have you Noticed that you do not See Her name in the Society Column of the Paper Any More?"

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2—Woman's best friend is woman.

TOMORROW'S BEST BARGAINS IN BOSTON'S BIG STORES

Shepard Norwell Co. will put on sale 50 cents special sale a lot of richly embroidered Swiss flouncings, in Irish edge and insertion, made with deep hem and scallop; 8½ inches wide.

Meyer Jonasson & Co. will sell Saturday eighteen inch skirts, in black only, reduced from $10.50 to $3.50. Also eleven inch skirts, reduced from $12.50 to $5. These are divided bargains.

James A. Houston Co. will put on sale at $1 Saturday their new $2 waist. It is a lingerie waist, made with new high bust and long pointed back, tucked and trimmed front and sides, and made of good material. This is a special bargain.

Siegel's will offer in their grocery department regular old-fashioned home-made gingerbread for 5 cents a loaf to-morrow. These cakes are the 10-cent size and are baked in their own bakery.

Conrad's will offer for to-morrow regular $1.50 black sateen and near-silk petticoats, made with extra full flounce, for 98 cents.

Allen's will offer for 39 cents a small size of Carmen's imported talcum powder in violet, white, pink, lotus and rose odors.

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Gilchrist Co. will sell for to-morrow only a lot of infants' 50-cent bearskin caps for 25 cents.

Jordan Marsh Co. will sell a lot of real hand-painted china dishes. Each piece is beautifully decorated and signed by the artist. In the lots are cups and saucers, chocolate pots, salad dishes, plates, trays, etc. The prices range from $20 to $27. They are but half the real value.

At Butler's you can purchase the "Butler's school hose" for 12½ cents a pair. They are fast black, narrow or wide ribbed and worth twice that price.

The Model, on Winter street, offers for to-morrow a lot of ladies' black, blues and mixtures, full plaited, with deep fold at bottom, for $3.95. They are good $6 values.

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CHEESE PUDDING

TWENTY-THREE pounded crackers, two quarts milk, four tablespoons sugar, one cup molasses, four eggs, one cup suet, one pound raisins, one pound butter, half teaspoon ground mace, half teaspoon allspice, half teaspoon cloves, one teaspoon cinnamon, half cup sharp cheese, grated. Serve cold with a hard sauce. Makes a delicious steaming pudding.

VENISON JELLY

One peck ripe grapes, one quart vinegar. Put vinegar over grapes and boil until soft and ready to strain. Use granulated sugar as much as there is juice. Add half ounce cloves and three sticks cinnamon. Put spices in a bag. Let boil until it will jell; then put up as plain jelly.
Bradentown, Fla. ELDORA POOLE.

ONE-EGG LAYER CAKE

PIECE of butter the size of an egg, one cup sugar, one egg, one cup milk, two cups flour, one teaspoonful lemon extract. Rub the butter and sugar together; stir in the yolk; add the milk, and then the flour, sifted together, put in the beaten white, and bake in layer cakes.

CHOCOLATE FILLING

Melt two squares Baker's chocolate and stir it into one cup of sifted confectioner's sugar, and add very carefully about one tablespoon of cream or milk, enough to make it as smooth as thick, and add a couple drops of vanilla extract. This is a delicious filling as well as an economical one.
MRS. ROSE TIBBALT.
No. 2083 Washington street, Boston.

SPICE CAKE

TWO cups of brown sugar, one cup of sour milk, one cup of chopped raisins, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one teaspoon of cloves, one teaspoon of salt, one half teaspoon of soda, two cups of flour.
MISS EVA RICHARD.
P. O. Box No. 1,048, Spencer.

APRICOT PIE

HALF pound apricots, stewed until tender; remove from stove and turn off the juice. Then heat until light with the yolk of one egg and sugar enough to sweeten about one cup. Put in under crust and put in the oven to bake. When baked, remove from oven and put the white of the egg, well beaten, over the top of pie, and put in oven to brown to a good color. MRS. NELLIE E. WENTWORTH.
No. 79 Locust avenue, Worcester.

DAILY PUZZLE PICTURE

Things We Wear

What Article of Clothing Is This?

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The list of prize-winners in last week's contest, together with the correct pictures in this week's series, will be printed in next Sunday's BOSTON AMERICAN.

Teach Girls How to Laugh

IT is the secret opinion of some persons that a new branch should be added to the curriculum of our schools. Young ladies should be taught to laugh.

In the makeup of young girls of normal temperament there is a disposition to make some kind of exhibition of mirth upon provocation, and there is no reason why this disposition should be made gracefully, in such manner as to enhance her charms instead of detracting from them, as is so often the case.

If one has a sensitive nature, it is painful to behold a pretty girl doubling up like a buffoon, almost, something quite slapping her knee with violence, grimacing and her feet, emitting shrieks and giggles.

This is so otherwise than beautiful that it is not to be thought, indeed, be a charming and graceful accomplishment, and one wonders why there are not instructors in the art of melodious ha-ha-ing, punctuated with dimples, and white teeth, and so well-behaved and perfectly controlled that it becomes a joy to tell such a girl a joke.

THE TURN OF THE BALANCE

A Thrilling Romance of American Life---By Brand Whitlock

CHAPTER XVIII—Continued.

Again, 1907, by American Journal-Examiner.

I'VE a notion to go and work in a factory, say half a day, and give myself a fair trial at half-holiday!"

"But you'd take her wages from her," said Marriott.

"Eh, I'd give her the wages."

Marriott shook his head slowly, doubtingly.

"I know it's impractical," Elizabeth went on. "Of course, I'd never do that. Why, people would think I'd gone crazy. Imagine that woman!"

She smiled at the absurdity.

"No," she said, "I'll have to go on and lead my idle, useless life. That's what it is, Gardens." He saw the latest fires of indignation and protest leap into her eyes. "It's this life—this horrible, false, insane life. That's what it is! The poor boy is ruining himself with it, and he doesn't know it. There is no place for him, nothing for him to do; it's the logic of events." She surprised to see such penetration in her.

"I've been thinking it out," she hurried on to explain. "I've suffered from it myself. I've left it for a long time without understanding it, and yesterday I began to see it well now, but I'm beginning to. Of what use am I in the world? Not a bit—there isn't a single thing I can do. I'm living the whole Winter I've been going about to a lot of useless affairs, meeting and chatting with a lot of people who have no real use in life—who are of no more use in the world than I.

"I'm starting myself out at it—and here I am, glad that the long, necessary waste of time is over—sick of it—sick of this—this—sofa pillow existence!" She thumped a silken pillow that lay on a wicker divan beside her, thumped it viciously and with force.

"Sometimes I feel that I'd like to leave the town and never see anybody in its sight!" Elizabeth exclaimed. "Don't you?"

"Yes, but—"

"But what?"

"But is there any place where you could escape it all?"

"There must be some place—some place where we know no one, so that no one's cares could be ours, where we could be mere disinterested spectators and sit aloof and observe life, and not feel that it was any concern of ours at all. That's what I want. I'd like to escape this horrible town!"

"Well, the Summer's here and we can have our vacation," Marriott replied, whimsically, "the Koerners have no vacation."

"Gordon, don't you ever dare to mention the Koerners' name again."

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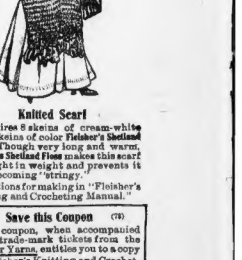

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Requires 8 skeins of cream-white and 8 skeins of color Fleisher's Shetland Floss. Though very long and warm, Fleisher's Shetland Floss makes this scarf very light in weight and prevents it from becoming heavy when wet.

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JORDAN GIRLS ENTERTAINED

The walls of the Franklin Square House rang last night with the musical laughter of scores of girls during the entertainment given by the management to the young women employes of the Jordan Marsh Company.

From 7 to 11 the jolly reigned. Organist Cook entertained all while the concert fine instrument of which the institute is justly proud. Biograph pictures, selections by a male quartet, readings by John Fitzgibbons and dancing contributed to the entertainment.

The Rev. George L. Perrin, who presided, made the guests thoroughly at home, and two Franklin Square girls, Misses Elsner and Nixon, furnished the dance music.

The guests of honor were: George F. Riley, Russel W. Day, Charles Lamb, Frank G. Pickering (a member of the firm) and Mr. and Mrs. William D. Wallace.

The ushers were Misses Margaret Nicholsen, head usher; Ursus Webster, Mildred McKown, Clara Nixon, Katherine James, Amy Miller, Lena Sherwood, May Dartling, Cuma Whitney, Flora Hale, Persis Cox, Grace Parker, Mattie Page, Bessie Towne, Helen Smith, Aimee Smith, Bessie Coulter, Julia Harrington, Anna Belle Pearce, Florence Ellis, Maud Morris, Mary Blackall, Annette Merrin, Katherine Manus and Fannie Shepard. Miss C. Hill, Miss A. T. Cook, Miss Marion Flood and Miss H. B. Blakemore acted as pourers.

ACCUSED BY THREE MEN.

Joseph Richelis of Quincy is under arrest on three warrants charging him with larceny. Twenty dollars in cash, a gold watch and a valuable ring, each taken from a different man, made up the log.

ST. PATRICK'S WAS WRONGED

Editor AMERICAN:

In an issue of your paper, dated Sunday, September 29, 1907, appeared a small, illustrated article concerning Miss Marguerite Regan, of No. 139 Mt. Pleasant avenue, Roxbury.

The article went on to state that the young girl would shortly enter upon a career on the stage, and that she was "noted for her singing and dancing ability in St. Patrick's Parochial School."

Now, unintentionally, you have harmed St. Patrick's Parochial School, its founder, teachers and friends. Nothing is farther from the teachings of this parochial school than preparing young girls for the stage. Your correspondent must have been misinformed. Regan as to the curriculum of this institution and the young girl in particular. Miss Regan for the last few years has never taken part in any entertainments of any kind in the school, nor desires to appear on the stage being discouraged at all times by her instructors.

Yours truly,
A FRIEND OF THE SCHOOL.

MANY NEW MILLS PLANNED IN SOUTH

BALTIMORE, Md., Oct. 4.—Reports furnished to the Manufacturers' Record show that during July, August and September plans were made for the installation in the South of 177,877 spindles, of which about seventy-three per cent is to be installed by new companies and the rest by established ones.

VERMONT GIFT TO BATTLESHIP

The officers and jackies of the United States battleship Vermont are the proud possessors to-day of a handsome silver service, the gift of the State of Vermont. In addition silk flags are presented by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Among the witnesses in the presentation are Governor Fletcher D. Proctor and many other State officials. All the naval officers now in port also attend.

Governor Proctor presents the silver service, which is accepted on behalf of the ship by Captain W. P. Potter, its commander, a native of Vermont.

STYLE 3939 STYLE 3939

CONTINENTAL HATS CONTINENTAL HATS

Six Hundred and Thirteen

Special Hats in a week is a record to be proud of. Have you seen Style 3939? Our wonderful hat with all the characteristics of a $3 hat and costs you but... $2.00

SEE IT —— SEE IT

All the other new styles in the popular makes—$2, $3, $4 and $5.

SPECIAL — Furnishing Goods — Genuine imported Guyot Braces; every pair stamped Charles Guyot, Paris; usually sold at 50c and by furnishing goods dealers at 60c. On sale (two pairs to a customer) 39c

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Bird Neighbors—By Nellie Blanchan. A special edition of this well-known work with new color plates..... 98c

Sir Nigel—By A. Conan Doyle..... 45c EACH

Rosemary: In Search of a Father—By C. N. and A. M. Williamson. The regular $1.50 edition of these popular stories..... 45c EACH

Wanted, a Chaperon—By Kathleen Norris. Love Finds the Way—By Mrs. Pen of Full Lancaster Ford's popular romances, published at $2.00 each..... 75c EACH

Just 59 Special Items for Friday and Saturday

Selected Here and There Among Our Stocks

Because of Their Unusual Attractiveness

There are fifty-nine good reasons for trading here—merely quoted as examples of the way every department is constantly striving to create special inducements for these two-day sales on Friday and Saturday.

15.00 Tourist Coats at 7.50

Made of all-wool materials, in choice and becoming styles; sizes are 28 to 44. Splendidly made coats that should sell for 15.00, now reduced to only..... 7.50

18.00 to 25.00 Coats at 10.00

Loose and semi-fitted tourist coats; large sizes, all desirable styles and patterns. These come in broken sizes, and for this fact regular 18.00 to 25.00 values are reduced to only..... 10.00

8.00 to 20.00 Coats at 4.50

A miscellaneous assortment of coats; Eton and lace models; also included in this lot are a number of white rubber coats and mohair and silk short coats, in white and black. Real 8.00 to 20.00 values reduced to only... 4.50

18.00 to 25.00 Coats at 5.00

Genuine pongee and cloth of gold coats, in natural shades. These are fully worth from 18.00 to 25.00 and specially offered in this sale at... 5.00

10.00 and 15.00 Coats at 4.75

Covert cloth coats, in box and semi-fitted styles; sizes from 38 to 44, also a few small sizes. Regular 10.00 and 15.00 values offered at..... 4.75

20.00 Silk Rubberized Rain Coats at 13.75

Regular 20.00 silk rubberized rain coats, in a large variety of plaids and checks, specially priced at.. 13.75

Women's 18.00 Suits at 15.00

Made of all wool Lymansville cheviot, 36-inch length model coat, semi and tight fitting styles. Real 18.00 values, specially reduced in this sale to..... 15.00

Women's 22.50 Suits at 18.50

Handsome broadcloth suits, tight fitting models, buttoned through; full plaited skirts. Actual 22.50 values, exceptionally marked to 18.50

Women's 27.50 Suits at 22.50

Fashioned of all wool mixtures; semi-fitting coat, 36 inches long, single breasted and buttoned through; guaranteed satin lining. Full plaited skirt finished with fold. Real 27.50 values, reduced to..... 22.50

Children's 3.75 Coats at 2.95

Made of brown, blue and red kersey; double breasted with deep collar; buttoned high at neck; turn back cuff, lap pockets, sizes 6 to 12 years. A full length comfortable coat specially reduced from 3.75 to..... 2.95

Children's 5.75 Kersey Coats at 5.00

The colors are red, brown and navy; double breasted, and can be buttoned high at neck; deep collar, finished with wide braid over shoulder and sleeve, sizes 6 to 14 years. A full length, loose fitting coat that usually sells for 5.75, now fitting marked at..... 5.00

Misses' 15.00 Suits at 12.50

Fashioned of fancy mixtures; semi-fitted models; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years; the skirts are full plaited with fold at bottom. Very nobby suits, fully worth 15.00, now marked at..... 12.50

10c Torchon Edges and Insertion at 5c

Excellent imitation Torchon edges with insertion to match. Regular choice 10c values, specially marked to..... 5c

4.75 Waists at 3.95

Saxony flannel waists in a variety of handsome checked and striped effects; all strictly tailored styles with coat sleeve. Real 4.75 values specially reduced to..... 3.95

Batiste Veiling Waists—Special at 2.95

Made in all up-to-date styles in various desirable colorings; embroidered and tucked fronts, button back. Special 2.95 values at..... 2.95

7.50 Net Waists at 5.00

Handsome styles in white net waists; ¾ sleeve, button back; lined with china silk. Real 7.50 values offered 5.00 at..... 5.00

75c to 1.00 Plain and Fancy Silk at 59c

An excellent assortment of plain, fancy and plaid silks; complete color line. All worth 75c and 1.00, very specially priced in this sale at, per yard..... 59c

59c White Peau de Cygne Silk at 39c

A limited quantity of high lustre white peau de cygne; splendid for waists and party gowns. Real 59c values specially reduced to, per yard..... 39c

85c Plaid Silks at 69c

New fall plaid silks, all new designs and colorings. This is the most exceptional value offered in this line of silks; a real 85c quality marked at..... 69c

89c Black Taffeta at 69c

22-inch black taffeta; excellent quality for skirts; strong and durable. Regular 89c value marked in this sale to..... 69c

1.25 Black Dress Taffeta Silk at 95c

36 inches wide; strong, brilliant and serviceable; a desirable quality for coats and costumes. Considered a good value at 1.25, now very moderately priced at per yard..... 95c

Blue Goat Fur Sets—Special at 9.25

Handsome blue goat throw scarf and large pillow muff, neatly lined. These are splendid bargains, very specially offered at, per set..... 9.25

Imitation Blue Lynx Sets—Special at 12.50

Imitation blue lynx throw scarf; large pillow muff. Very popular for this winter's wear. Excellent values, special at, per set..... 12.50

Sable and Isabella Wolf Sets—Special at 18.50

Sable and Isabella Wolf shawl collars with large pillow muff to match; lined with Skinner's satin. Remarkable values, special at..... 18.50

Squirrel Sets—Special at 15.00

Siberian squirrel sets, all clear gray. These are up-to-date models and very reasonably marked in this sale at, per set..... 15.00

2.00 All-over Lace at 1.49

White and ecru Point Venice all-over lace; 18 inches wide. Regular 2.00 values, specially marked in this sale, to, per yard..... 1.49

50c Point Venice Galloons at 25c

White and ecru Point Venice galloons; 2 to 3 inches wide. Regular 50c values, specially reduced to only... 25c

2.00 Vicuna Suitings at 59c

All wool Vicuna suitings, in light and dark gray, tan, blue, etc.; 54 inches wide; heavy fall weight. Every yard of this lot actually worth 2.00, now exceptionally reduced to..... 59c

1.50 Novelty Suitings at 59c

Dark grounds of black and navy with silk novelty weaves in bright colorings. 54 inches wide. Regularly sold for 1.50, now, per yard..... 59c

1.00 Clay Serge at 59c

Only three shades of this all wool clay serge, navy, green and cadet blue; 46 inches wide. Actually worth 1.00, now exceptionally priced to close at, per yard..... 59c

1.25 Silk and Wool Eolienne at 59c

Broken line of colors, but all very lustrous goods; pure silk and wool; 44 inches wide. Formerly priced at 1.25, now specially reduced to, per yard..... 59c

1.00 Worsted Panama at 59c

All worsted panamas; five designs in this lot; some shadow effects and others overplaided in color; all gray grounds, 44 inches wide. Actual selling price should be 1.00, very special in this sale at..... 59c

1.00 Black Panama at 75c

Guaranteed pure worsted, very closely woven, 48 inches wide. Only five pieces in this lot, all worth 1.00 per yard, specially priced to close at..... 75c

1.50 Black Vicuna at 69c

Heavy weight lustrous cloth; the correct material for winter garments, 54 inches wide. Original price 1.50, specially marked to, per yard..... 69c

75c Melrose Cloth at 49c

A splendid wearing quality; good black, wiry finish, 44 inches wide. A very popular weave, worth 75c, now marked at, per yard..... 49c

1.00 Black Costume Cloth at 75c

Strictly all wool and a standard black; 50 inches wide; absolutely perfect goods, made to sell for and well worth 1.00, now offered at..... 75c

75c Coating Cheviot at 50c

Extra heavy fall weight cheviot; good black and all wool, 46 inches wide. These goods usually sell for 75c, now specially offered at, per yard..... 50c

75c Steel Studded Elastic Belts at 59c

1½ inch wide; all elastic, studded with 30 steel points; steel buckle with dip front style; these come in black, navy, brown, pink, sky, green and white. Real 75c values offered in this sale at..... 59c

1.00 Steel Studded Belts at 79c

All silk elastic with steel studding; elastic and effects in fancy designs in back; steel buckle; all colors. Real 1.00 values offered in this sale at..... 79c

1.50 Silk Elastic Studded Belts at 1.10

Two-inch all silk elastic belts, studded with steel in various choice patterns and designs; finished with attractive buckle, all riveted and cut. Actual 1.50 values offered at..... 1.10

20c Stationery at 10c

Cloth and vellum finish writing papers, new square shape; 84 sheets to a pound. Actually worth 20c, special bargain at, per pound..... 10c

2.00 French Felt Sailors at 1.00

With welted edges; bell crown with smart trimmings of silk velvet ribbon, wings and ornaments. Regular 2.00 values, marked at half price..... 1.00

1.25 Felt Hammock Hats at 69c

Ribbon trimmed and satin lining; just the hat for everyday and common wear. Real 1.25 values, offered in this sale at..... 69c

3.00 Touring Caps at 50c

Up-to-date styles in touring caps; stitched satin lining. Actual 3.00 values, marked very low in this sale at..... 50c

25c Violets at 10c

Full bunches of choice violets, different styles and shades. Real 25c values, attractively priced at..... 10c

1.00 Imported Roses at 50c

Beautiful large silk and velvet roses; all the new colorings. Imported to sell for 1.00, now exceptionally priced at..... 50c

Women's 50c and 75c Cotton and Lisle Hose at 25c

Manufacturers' samples of women's cotton and lisle thread hose, in black and colors. Fully worth 50c and 75c, now offered at, per pair..... 25c

Women's 1.50 Silk Hose at 1.25

Women's pure thread black silk hose with cotton or silk soles. Actually worth 1.50, very special sale price, per pair..... 1.25

Children's 25c to 50c Hose at 17c

Manufacturers' samples of children's ribbed black cotton and lisle thread hose; wide and narrow ribs. Worth 25c to 50c, very special offerings at, per pair..... 17c

Women's 37½c Vests at 25c

Women's bleached white vests and pants; medium weight; vests have long sleeves, ankle length pants. Real 37½c values at..... 25c

Women's 50c Underwear at 35c

Women's fleece lined vests and pants; winter weight. These are slightly imperfect, but not detrimental to wear. Actual 50c values reduced to, each..... 35c

39c to 69c Ribbons at 25c

Fancy ribbons in a varied assortment of designs and colorings; 4 to 6 inches wide. Regular 39c to 69c values, reduced to..... 25c

49c to 89c Ribbons at 29c

These ribbons come in choice Romans, attractive plaids and neat stripes, etc. 49c to 89c values, marked to, per yard..... 29c

55c Ribbons at 39c

Dresden ribbon in all the most dainty effects; full 6 inches wide; most desirable for hair bows and sashes. 55c 39c values, for..... 39c

69c to 1.50 Ribbons at 49c

High grade fancy ribbons; Romans, plaids, etc.; 6 and 7 inches wide. 69c to 1.50 values, reduced to, per yard..... 49c

75c Souvenir Post Card Albums at 42c

Souvenir post card albums, attractively decorated in many choice colorings. These hold 300 cards and are well worth 75c, specially offered in this Friday and Saturday sale at..... 42c

Women's Turkish Slippers—Special at 35c

Women's Turkish slippers in red, brown and black, embroidered in gold and silver; all sizes from 2½ to 6. Special 35c values at..... 35c

Women's 3.00 to 4.00 Shoes at 1.50

Women's 3.00 to 4.00 tan calf, tan kid, black Russia calf, enamel, patent colt, bright kid and patent leather low cut shoes, in twenty different styles, reduced to, per pair..... 1.50

Women's 5.00 and 6.00 Shoes at 3.50

Women's 5.00 and 6.00 bright kid, gun metal calf, patent calf, patent colt and black Russia calf laced and button boots, in a variety of up-to-date styles, all specially reduced to, per pair..... 3.50

Boys' 2.25 and 3.00 Shoes at 1.75

Boys' calf balmorals; double sole of solid leather; excellent for school wear; sizes, 13 to 2 and 2½ to 5½. Regular prices were 2.25 and 3.00, special sale price, per pair..... 1.75

Men's 5.00 Shoes at 2.50

Men's patent calf, patent colt, gun metal calf, black Russia calf oxfords and blucher oxfords that formerly sold for 5.00, now, exceptionally marked, at half price..... 2.50

Women's 2.50 Cape Gloves at 2.00

Women's 8 button length cape gloves, in new tan shades. Formerly sold for 2.50, special values now at only..... 2.00

Women's 1.50 Kid Gloves at 85c

Women's 1 clasp kid gloves, Paris point and pique sewn; beautiful oak tan shades. All fresh, perfect goods that should sell for 1.50, attractively priced at, per pair..... 85c

Women's Mousquetaire Kid Gloves—Special at 1.98

Women's 16 button length mousquetaire kid gloves, in white only; sizes, 6½, 6¾ and 7. Rare bargains at..... 1.98

4.50 Wool Blankets at 3.50

White wool blankets for a full size bed; red, pink and blue borders; silk binding. Actual 4.50 values, very specially marked..... 3.50

2.50 Comforters at 2.00

Comforters or bed puffs made of a good cotton and covered with silkoline, in various designs and patterns. 2.50 values..... 2.00

15c Pillow Slips at 12½c

These are made from a firm, bleached cotton. Regular selling price is 15c, now specially marked in this sale at..... 12½c

65c Sheets at 50c

Made from a strong bleached cotton; size, 72 by 90 inches, the size for a full bed. Real 65c values, specially priced at..... 50c

37c Stationery at 25c

Handkerchief and glove boxes, beautifully decorated with landscape pictures, etc., containing one quire of cloth finish paper with envelopes to match, 37c values, for this Friday and Saturday sale at, per box..... 25c

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Absolutely Free to any lady or gentleman who can show us that our price for quality can be equalled anywhere in the city.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Raincoats of every description can be obtained at less than the cost of manufacture during this sale.

Ingrain Carpets

Oilcloth and Linoleum

We wish to clean up, at once, our remnants of the above floor coverings. All patterns of which we have twenty yards, or less, have been included in this lot. Just as many grades and patterns to select from as if you bought regular goods that would cost twice as much.

If you have a floor that you wish to cover at a minimum expense, come in and come early, for you will have a better selection to choose from.

Oil Cloth..... 15c, 20c, 25c per yd.
Linoleum..... 30c, 40c " "
Ingrain Carpet 20c, 30c, 40c " "

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DOVES AND DODGERS IN FINAL SERIES OF SEASON

BATTING ORDER.

BROOKLYN.	BOSTON.
Alperman, 2b.	Hoffman, c.f.
Casey, 3b.	Tenney, 1b.
Jordan, l.f.	Brain, 3b.
Lewis, s.s.	Beaumont, c.f.
Hummell, l.f.	Sweeney, 2b.
Batch, r.f.	Randall, l.f.
Maloney, c.f.	Moskiwell, s.s.
Ritter, c.	Bailey, c.
Pastorious, p.	Frock, p.

Just to prolong the diamond season while the weather holds good the Dodgers will cavort with the Trolley Dodgers at the South End Grounds to-day and to-morrow.

There isn't anything in it for either team, but the games are on the card and must be run off, and they may be of some use to the Doves to keep on edge for the championship championship, which comes next week.

Doves Saw Pilgrims.

The Doves had a day off yesterday and went over to the American Grounds to look over their rivals and the movement is - good indication that they intend doing things to the Pilgrims when they meet on the diamond.

Patsy Donovan and his band arrived in the Hub in good shape and the Lawrence boy is getting bouquets from everywhere for his fine showing. Breaking even at the top of the second division is sufficient proof that Donovan's fine work has born fruit.

The Doves will trot out some of their new players who the Hub fans have not yet seen in uniform and they will come in for a close inspection.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	103	42	.714
Pittsburg	89	56	.614
Philadelphia	80	64	.556
New York	80	68	.547
Brooklyn	63	80	.441
Cincinnati	58	88	.397
Boston	58	88	.397
St. Louis	52	93	.361

GAMES TO-DAY.

Brooklyn at Boston.
New York at Philadelphia.
Pittsburg at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.

GAME YESTERDAY.

Philadelphia 1, Pittsburg 0.

THESE ARE HAPPY DAYS FOR THE TIGER

PILGRIMS TO PLAY IN NEW YORK TODAY

BATTING ORDER.

BOSTON.	NEW YORK.
Chesbro, r.f.	Hoffman, c.f.
Sullivan, c.f.	Elberfeld, s.s.
Parent, 2b.	Chase, 1b.
Congalton, r.f.	Moriarty, 3b.
Grimshaw, 1b.	Laporte, r.f.
Lord, 3b.	Bell, l.f.
Wagner, s.s.	Williams, 2b.
Carrigan, c.	Kleinow, c.
Young, p.	Chesbro, p.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Boston and New York will open their final series of the season here this afternoon. The Highlanders are travelling at a rapid gait now, as their three straight victories over the White Sox will show, while the Pilgrims are doing none too well, having broken a string of sixteen straight defeats yesterday in Boston.

"Cy" Young and "Doc" Newton will probably twirl to-day. Catcher Bill Carrigan, who did so well for the Toronnos, winners of the Class A championship, is with the Pilgrims and may catch this afternoon.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

HOW THE CLUBS STAND.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	91	56	.619
Philadelphia	87	55	.613
Chicago	86	61	.577
New York	77	69	.500
New Haven	67	82	.450
St. Louis	62	85	.422
BOSTON	59	90	.396
Washington	48	99	.327

GAMES TO-DAY.

Boston at New York.
Philadelphia at Washington (two games.

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Boston 5, N. York 0.
New York 8, Chicago 0.
Philadelphia 4, Cleveland 0.
Detroit 9, Washington 2.

CY MORGAN BREAKS STRING OF DEFEATS FOR PILGRIM TEAM

The Pilgrims went over to New York last night to meet the Highlanders in games to-day and Saturday, and the outfit was feeling better than for several weeks, as they broke the slump at last, beating the Browns in the final game of the home series, 1 to 0.

It was a narrow squeeze, and the Browns died hard, but the turn had come though the Browns were a 10 to 7 favorite before the action commenced.

Cy Morgan got all the glory for getting away from the further disaster, as he humbled the Browns and easily earned his value as a twirler to be retained for the next year's champions.

Morgan Was Effective.

Such superb work in the box has not been seen on the Huntington Ave. ball park for many a day and brought out very clearly the merits of a high-class pitcher. Morgan was opposed by Harry Howell, one of the shrewdest and with no superior in the handling of the baseball.

Howell beat out Morgan in keeping under control, but the latter's ability to run in get out of tight places gave him greater prestige.

The support behind Morgan was perfect, the only misplay being a wild heave to second by Shaw, but it cost nothing.

Twice, when the Browns had a man on third, Morgan fanned the next batter and prevented a score. In the eighth it looked like an ascension, as Morgan passed three batters, but he refused to go up in the air and pulled out, while the bases were filled.

The fans got a shock in the ninth, when Morgan started off by walking the first man to face him and the next two sacrificed, but the next couple of Browns failed to connect safely.

Only One Run Scored.

The only run scored came in the fourth, when Wallace let Parent's grounder get away from him. Congalton got the first clean single, but Parent was held on second. Grimshaw forced Congalton at second, but Parent took third. Lord forced Grimshaw, but Parent crossed the plate on the out. Wagner hit safe and Lord went to third. On an attempted double steal Lord was caught at third, but the decision was a close one, and he looked safe. Congalton hit and stole in the sixth, which was the only time the Pilgrims got on the bases after the fifth.

Parent did some valuable playing at second and Stone made the star catch, taking a fly off his shoetops on the dead run.

HOW TIGERS WON FLAG

By Hugh Jennings

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—Persistency, sticking everlastingly to our task, practically explains in a nutshell how we have forced our way to the front.

With determination, a man, an army or a baseball team can accomplish any practical task, provided it has the ability, and no man will deny that our team has had the ability.

When I was put in charge of the Tigers this year my only task was to bring the team around to a realization of its full strength, and to arouse in it a determination to win the pennant.

After our team developed its full speed we kept pace with the champions of the world, and with us the pennant race became a case of "Pike's Peak or bust."

It looks like a clear case of Pike's Peak to us now, because I don't think there is any danger of our getting tanked in the remaining three days of the season.

Harmony Among Tiger Players.

The greatest factors in our success have been harmony among the players, and team work. The boys stuck together and played for the best interests of the team as a whole. All thought of any individual record was utterly banished and tabooed by our boys, and there is not a man on the team who hasn't had his heart and soul in every game.

We have had a well-balanced team, with the nerve and aggressiveness necessary to accomplish what we had set out to do.

These are the main reasons why we have succeeded, and no one will deny our success has been deserved without doing us an injustice. We have had our setbacks and troubles, but have continued the fight. We have had several slumps, but have always recovered and come back stronger than before.

When we returned home in the last from our second Eastern trip we had our worst slump by losing five out of six games played in one week, but this slump only spurred us on in our determination, and we went after the other fellows harder than ever.

Tiger Pitchers Overworked.

All of our pitchers have been overworked, but Donovan, Siever and Mullin will all be able to give good accounts of themselves in the event of our fighting the Chicago Cubs for the world's championship.

Killian has a sore arm and may not be able to pitch, but our other three box artists will do their share of the work, and we have the best hitting team in the country and a first-class fielding team. I don't see how we can be beaten.

You know our team is a counterpart of the old Orioles. Each player is strong mechanically, each has good judgment, and you can bet your life that every one has the nerve, the sand and the ability, and, absolutely refuses to admit defeat until the game is won. It was that fight that has put us in the front of the race, and it is the same fight—aggressiveness, or whatever you want to call it—that is going to win for us the post season series for the world's championship.

I have no intention of following the plan of some of the managers and give the men layoffs before the series with the Cubs. We have nailed that flag by hanging together, and we are going to hit the Cubs under full steam.

BAY STATE AUTOISTS HOLD GYMKHANA GAMES OCT. 12

By J. C. KERRISON.

The Bay State Automobile Association will hold its second annual gymkhana games at the Newton Athletic Grounds in Newton on Saturday, October 12. Secretary James Fortescue of the association is now busily engaged in making the necessary arrangements for the events, and securing entries. The list of events has not as yet been definitely determined, but will include tests of skill and ability on the part of the operators as well as displaying the stability and flexibility of the cars themselves. Last year these events proved wonderfully successful, and with the experienced men gained, there is no question but what the coming carnival will be interesting and attractive. The time between now and the date of the events is decidedly limited, but that is no disadvantage as this organization is noted for its ability to arrange and carry out interesting events in a remarkable quick time.

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The Park Square Automobile Station has just received its first model of the Stoddard-Dayton Model 84 runabout. This is a neat and attractive proposition selling at a reasonable price and possesses the same high qualities which was responsible for the widespread demand for the 1907 models. There are no radical changes in this car over the 1907, but the car has been lengthened somewhat, and the driving post has been tilted to a greater angle, bringing it into proper position for the driver's right hand. The power of the four cylinder type of 15-18 horsepower, with selective type of transmission. The carburetor is of the most feed type, with auxiliary air valve insuring perfect mixture at all times. The car is a perfect little gem, and cannot help but attract attention.

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V. A. Charles manager of the Rambler Company is suffering from a fracture of a bone in the right hand, received, not in an automobile accident, but as a result of a fall, while on a recent shooting trip. Mr. Charles started for a two weeks' trip in the woods of Maine, and of course had to meet with his accident just as things were growing interesting. At first the local physicians believed that he had only sprained his hand, but upon consulting doctors in Boston he learned that he was nursing a fractured hand. With his right hand in a sling Charles is endeavoring to transact business.

The physicians report that Charles E. Pay will be confined to his home for a few weeks as the result of his experience in the Providence smash up.

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In view of the wonderful claims made for the six-cylinder type of car, this year, as well as all others, will be the year to demonstrate their superiority over the standard type of four-cylinder cars. It is all very well for salesmen to tell prospective customers of the superiority of the six-cylinder type of car, and their greater flexibility under varying qualities and another thing to prove it. What is needed is for the customer to get a practical demonstration for the merits of a six cylinder car, as can be done at the Grand Central Palace show, it will do more to convince the average laymen than an hours talk by a gilt-edged salesman.

Incidentity for the first time in the history of automobile shows it will be possible for the prospective customer to get a practical demonstration of the speed of a car, for through an agreement with the Morris Park Motordrome it will be possible for customers to try out the car they are riding in at the Morris Park track, where a force of expert timers will be on duty during the week.

TO PICK DATES FOR BIG WORLD'S SERIES SUNDAY

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—While the details of the world's championship series between the Chicago Cubs and the winner of the American League flag will not be settled definitely until the national commission meets in Chicago Sunday night, this story will give all third-third degree "hugs" a clear idea of the program.

There will be some radical changes from last year's plans. If Detroit keeps her lead the games probably will begin on Wednesday, rather than on Tuesday, as they did last year. If Philadelphia should upset the dope and beat out the Tigers the series will begin Tuesday to avoid tiring out the players in traveling. But whichever one that may go there will be only two games in the city where the series opens; three games in the other city; then two, if they are necessary in the city where the fight began.

DESHLER AND O'BRIEN HAVING HARD WORKOUTS

With a competition between 115-pound novices and a semi-final between Denny Ryan and Jack Mahon for the championship of Cambridge, there should be some interesting preliminary to the Deshler-O'Brien-Dave Deshler bout at the Windsimmer Athletic Club next Tuesday night. Entries have been received from George Alger of Cambridge, Fred McInnes of Winthrop, Young Finlay of Chelsea, Kid Hanlon of the West End, Kid Burns of Chelsea, and others.

The main performers are both working hard in the best possible shape to go along at a speedy clip. The South Boston boy is back from New York and working hard in the Peninsular district so that he can give Deshler his quietus. The latter is in Cambridge training with the same purpose in view.

The entries for the competition will be limited to 16, and the bouts will not drag along.

New applicants for membership can find the secretary at his office on Water street, this city, every day.

SHORT WORK AT NEW HAVEN.

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 4.—The Yale crews let up in the work of the varsity football eleven to-day. The practice was the shortest of the season. The weather was heavy, and the players showed the effect of the game with Wesleyan.

DONAHUE MADE LEADER.

John Donahue, who played second base on the Newton High School baseball team last season, was elected captain of the nine for next year at a meeting of the team at the Newton High School yesterday afternoon.

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HARVARD NINE IN FALL PRACTICE

All the veterans of last season, with the exception of Stinson, Brennan, Briggs and Hartford, were present at the opening of Harvard's fall baseball practice. A scrub game was played and the Lannigans gave the regulars a sound drubbing.

NO GAME FOR TIGERS; ATHLETICS HAVE TWO WITH SENATORS

BATTING ORDER.

ATHLETICS.	WASHINGTON.
Hartsel, l.f.	Milan, c.f.
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Oldring, c.f.	O'Brien, s.s.
Schreck, c.	Shipke, 3b.
Waddell, p.	Johnson, p.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—There is no game on the schedule for the Tigers to-day, as they will be travelling to St. Louis, where they open a series of three games with the Browns to-morrow.

The Athletics, who have still a slight chance to win the pennant, will open a series of four games here to-day. There is a doubleheader on the cards for this afternoon, and Plank and Waddell will probably pitch for the Philadelphias, and Smith and Johnson for the locals.

The Tigers won here yesterday in easy fashion, Donovan winning his game, 9 to 3. Gehring pitched for the locals and was batted hard.

PITCHER SMITH OF WHITE SOX PICKS CUBS TO WIN SERIES

PITTSBURG, Oct. 4.—Pitcher Smith of the White Sox, who has returned home with a sprained ankle, declares the Cubs will beat the Tigers in the post-season series.

"It is neither treason nor sentiment, but business with me," said the American League pitcher, who won twenty-three and lost eleven games this season, though out of the game almost three weeks.

"I cannot see Chicago at all in this," he continued, "and I'm pretty sure Chance will put it all over the Detroit people. If Detroit wins I'll lose my money and not whimper. Had the Philadelphia Athletics won I would have backed them to the end, but I don't think well of Detroit.

"The team has one good pitcher, Bill Donovan, and one hard hitter, that's Cobb. Let them all look out for the Cubs, for be surely the greatest ball player in the American League. I never saw a man to get those hits as he does; you simply can't fool him. No matter how much a pitcher may curve, Cobb seems to be able to serve anything you hand him. And he is a great base runner, too. It is practically out of the question to keep him on first once he reaches that station.

TOMMY MURPHY DOES NOT WANT 'PINK TEA' FIGHT

CHICAGO, Oct. 4.—Because he doesn't want Tommy Murphy to engage in "one of those pink tea affairs" with Packie McFarland, Johnny Oliver, Murphy's manager, has thus far failed to post his $250 forfeit with the Indianapolis Club, where the fight is scheduled to be pulled off October 16.

Oliver insists he wants a real fight for Murphy, without any interference from the police, and it is said the battle probably will never materialize.

McFarland is trying to get a go with Kid Merritchal, and the pair of local lightweights will probably meet in a fifteen-round go in the near future.

TUFTS MAN INJURED.

The Tufts football squad was put through its paces in the twenty-minute halves yesterday for their last scrimmage before the Dartmouth game Saturday. Toward the end of the scrimmage Hoffnack Bosby broke a bone in his right hand. The injury will put him out of the game for at least a month.

TWO PLAYERS DON'T SHOW UP.

Roxbury High reported on Franklin Field yesterday afternoon with two exceptional players missing, and Coach Hanley declaring that unless the players report after a game they will be removed from the squad.

BURR SHIFTED TO LEFT TACKLE

A big surprise was sprung at Soldiers' Field yesterday afternoon, when Burr, the crack guard and punter, was shifted to left tackle, the old position of Pierce. Wendell did not show up, and it looks as though the chances of him regaining his standing in the college office are very slim.

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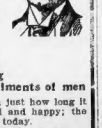

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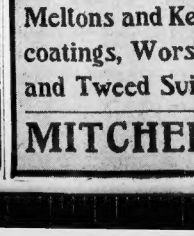

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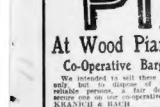

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What the Independence League Stands For

Here Is the Platform as Adopted at Yesterday's State Convention, Held in Faneuil Hall.

WE, the members of the Independence League of Massachusetts, in State Convention assembled, publish to our fellow-citizens these views, principles and policies, to which our candidates shall stand firmly pledged.

The burden of providing for the means of mere subsistence to the average man in this country has each year been growing heavier and heavier. We have the same country, the same mountains of inexhaustible mineral wealth, the same fertile valleys, the same streams, the same forests; the inventive genius of the nation has doubled and tripled the productivity of labor, has shortened the magnificent distances of the land and brought the wealth of each great section to the door of every other. But the cost of what the mountains, the valleys, the streams and the forests give us has been growing higher and higher and higher. In fifteen years the cost of living has advanced more than thirty-three per cent. The cause is not to be found in the exhaustion of a poor soil or in the scant bounty of a penurious Nature, but in the unrighteous conspiracies and artificial devices of man. While the food on the average man's table has been growing scarcer, champagne suppers, fifty-thousand-dollar balls, private yachts, private cars, private palaces and the appropriation of whole counties for private estates have increased more rapidly even than the cost of the poor man's food. It is in these schemes for pandering to the pleasures of this increasing number of possessors of overgrown fortunes, obtained by public plundering, that the higher prices which the average man pays for the necessaries of life are squandered. They have harnessed the activities of the nation to their private cars, and they are levying tribute upon the people by monopolizing their necessities through political corruption.

By corruption they elect the members of our legislative bodies who give them the laws they want; by corruption they elect our Governors, who veto the laws they don't want and appoint as judges their own lawyers. Their great instruments of corruption are the two old political parties, their bosses and so-called leaders. By the contribution of money and the giving of jobs in their public service corporations they maintain the political machines which elect their tools to office and blight the political careers of those who dare to be honest.

They are at this very moment seeking to control both the old parties for the specific purpose, among others, of fastening on New England a great, blighting railroad monopoly. The harmless inactivity of the present Governor and probable candidate of one of the old parties on this most vital question to New England and Massachusetts within the memory of living men is to be safeguarded by a harmless candidate on the ticket of the other party. The boldness with which the forces of monopoly in these days carry out their plans finds a magnificent illustration in the character and record and business associations of the man they have selected to syndicate in their behalf the poor old Democratic party. When they flung Henry M. Whitney into the political arena they threw the gauntlet into the very teeth of the people and dared them to do their worst, for Mr. Whitney is to-day and has been for twenty years the greatest public enemy in the State. His methods, condemned by the legislative committee which investigated them, condemned by the Supreme Court of the State and Nation, condemned by the people who at the following election turned out of office the Republican Governor who approved his scheme, and later, in another scheme, condemned by another Governor who profited by the example of his unfortunate predecessor, condemned by all who passed upon his relations with the public, his candidacy to-day is the finest piece of audacity in America.

As men have devised these unnatural schemes for distressing the public through the forms of law by the instrumentality of the corrupt parties, so men can correct them by good laws and an honest political organization which will elect honest men to enact the remedial laws and honest men to enforce them.

To this end the Independence League, standing aloof from entangling alliances with both the old parties, declares these policies to be remedies which will check the evil tendencies of the times:

1. The extension of the principle and operation of the initiative and referendum, in order that the people may act for themselves when corrupted legislators persistently refuse to obey their will.

2. The public ownership of those public utilities which are public monopolies, in order that the motive and means to corrupt public servants may cease, and the alliance between the trusts and the railroads, without which the trusts could not exist, may be ended forever, as no regulation can end it.

3. That the equity powers of the judiciary be returned within the scope which the courts themselves, less than fifteen years ago and before the rise of the great trusts, held to be the lawful and prudent limitation of their own powers, in order that by securing to workingmen in their organized disputes with their employers a trial by jury when they are threatened with the loss of their liberty, we may end the present scandalous alliance between the courts and one class against another. We would therefore enact a law which would give every workingman a trial by jury whenever employers seek the relief of the courts in their disputes with organized labor.

4. The worst form of monopoly known to America is that of the railroads. To the railroads may be attributed the cause of our increasing cost of living, our political corruption and most of our evil conditions. One of the worst of these railroad monopolies is the proposed merger of the Boston & Maine and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroads. If this merger is permitted to be consummated, New England will see her political power transferred to New York and the cost of things we eat and wear raised by the increased freight rates. We would preserve New England and Massachusetts against this scheme by compelling the New Haven road and its affiliated interests to give up all its holdings in the Boston & Maine, and by prohibiting in every possible way all means of exercising control over the Boston & Maine by the New Haven road. We would still further guarantee New England from the danger of railroad monopoly and mismangement by the resumption by the State of that splendid and abused railroad property, the Boston & Albany.

5. We would prohibit the powerful trusts from destroying competitors by temporarily charging different prices for their commodities in different sections of the State, in order that after competition has been destroyed they may raise the prices in all sections of the State. To this end we would enact such an anti-monopoly law as the Independence League supported last year before the Legislature and which a Republican committee defeated by an unbecoming trick.

6. Improvements in labor-saving machinery and other branches of the arts and sciences are every day increasing the productiveness of labor. Keeping pace with these improvements should go steadily a decrease in the hours of labor. As civilization advances, the civilizing influences of that leisure which is not idleness but rest from toil should steadily increase, that the workingmen may have more time in their families and for self-cultivation.

7. We believe that the judges should be elected for a term of years, that those who pervert the law against the public welfare may be removed from the positions which they have ceased to adorn.

8. We favor the recognition of labor unions in every legitimate endeavor they may make to regulate their pay and working hours of the working people.

9. We believe that United States Senators should be elected by a direct vote of the people, that the corporations may cease to degrade what was once the proudest and ablest legislative body in the world into a millionaires' club.

10. Milk, almost as necessary to life as is water, is being advanced in price beyond the reach of the poor. The Milk Trust and the railroads force down the price which the farmers obtain for their milk and raise it to the consumers. We favor a law which will compel the railroads to give the farmers the same facilities for sending their milk to market as are given the Milk Trust.

11. Workingmen ought not to be forced to go into places of danger under fear of losing their employment, and by so doing be obliged to assume the risk of injury without the right to compensation if, without their fault, they are injured. If the employer wants them to endanger their lives and health he should make compensation if they are injured.

It ought not to be assumed by the law that a workingman does not ordinarily exercise due care when by carelessness he is liable to great injury. Therefore we favor a law which shall change the Massachusetts rule that an employe assumes the risk of danger he is forced to enter by his employer, and which will make the Massachusetts rule with respect to due care identical with United States law.

Baseball Championship a National Event

The closest pennant race in the history of baseball will come to an end with the present week.

With only half a dozen games remaining, the Detroits and Athletics are making a desperate neck-and-neck struggle for the lead, with only a few points difference in their records.

The season in both leagues has been the most prosperous in the history of the game.

Millions of spectators have witnessed the contests, and while there have been many regrettable episodes, such as assaults upon umpires and players, it cannot be denied that baseball remains the purest and most popular game ever invented.

There is practically no betting, and the players invariably play to the very limit of their ability.

These facts will make the coming series for the world's championship between the National and the American League teams almost a national event.

At the Qualifying Ride

By Wex Jones

BUMP, bump, bump, thump, thump, thump, over the stones and boulders,
Twenty portly generals one ache from toes to shoulders
Talk of Presidential rules in most unfriendly mutter,
Breaking, as their horses start, into a jerky stutter.
Along comes an auto with a booming bass and roar;
All the riders shake like leaves, and over topple four.

SIXTEEN weary generals bumping on their way,
Four of 'em got hoisted on a spreading load of hay.
Twelve continue, sad at heart, to lope along and jog;
Four of 'em unseated by a yelping yellow dog.
Eight keep at their awful task; hope the end is soon;
Four are yanked into the air by a stray balloon.

ONWARD, slowly onward, go the groaning four,
A bull escaping from a field bumps off a couple more.
Only two remaining; one steps upon a hen;
Only one in riding of the twenty gallant men.
Only one, the others done, he'll be the army's head.
But his charger shies and off he flies, and all his hopes are dead.

Bobbie's Essays

By William F. Kirk

DRESSES is the cloes which is worn by littel gurls & big gurls & wimmen but not by boys & men, wich wares coats & overcoats etc.

The first dresses was worn by the first lady, Missus Eve, but not a fig away, only after she & her husband went out of the garden of Eden, then she red Well, dear, this is pritty hard luck, but never mind, dear, let us face the future, how much muny have you got?

Not vary much, sed Adam, last week was a hard week on the old man, but I have a litter.

Dear, kind old husband, always thinking of me, sed Missus Eve, give me what you have, & I will buy sum dresses so we can look the whole warrld in the face. That is how the first dresses cum.

Among the grate peopul which has worn dresses since was Cleopatry, Missus Joue of Arc & others.

Joue of Arc only wore dresses when she was back on the farm, when she was in the Big Leag she wore soldiers cloes made out of iron & steel beekause if she wore dresses thay mite git spoiled & have to be sent to the dry Cleaners.

Cleopatry wore funny dresses which had lots of munny, she used to show them to Mister Antony & say How do you like this new gown, dearest? Doont go away till the others cum, they are cumming C. O. D.

By me wares nise dresses, too, she has two (2) Tailor Suites & three (3) evening gowns & six (6) frocks. My Pa has one (1) suit, made vary plain, with plenty of nise loose pockets & thats all I know about dresses.

BRAGGO THE MONK

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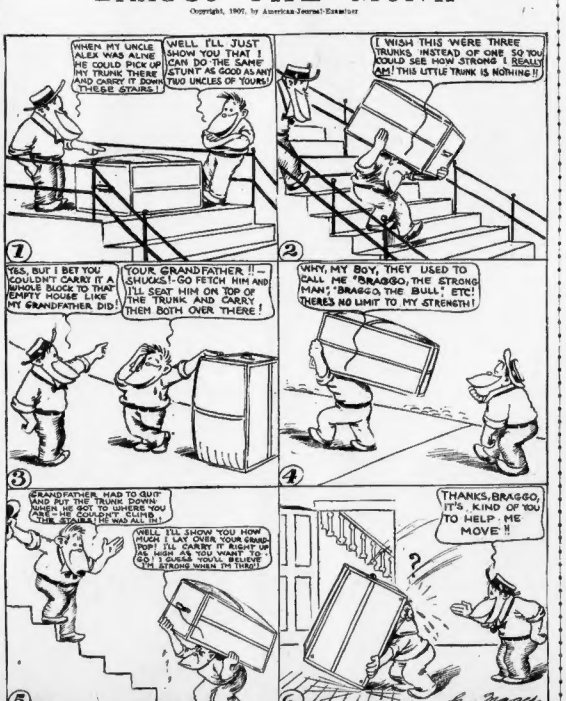
WHEN MY UNCLE ALEX WAS ALIVE HE COULD PICK UP MY TRUNK THERE AND CARRY IT DOWN THESE STAIRS!
WELL, I'LL JUST SHOW YOU THAT I CAN DO THE SAME STUNT AS GOOD AS ANY TWO UNCLES OF YOURS!
I WISH THIS WERE THREE TRUNKS, INSTEAD OF ONE SO YOU COULD SEE HOW STRONG I REALLY AM! THIS LITTLE TRUNK IS NOTHING!!
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YES, BUT I BET YOU COULDN'T CARRY IT A WHOLE BLOCK TO THAT EMPTY HOUSE LIKE MY GRANDFATHER DID!
YOUR GRANDFATHER!! — SHUCKS! — GO FETCH HIM AND I'LL SEAT HIM ON TOP OF THE TRUNK AND CARRY THEM BOTH OVER THERE!
WHY, MY BOY, THEY USED TO CALL ME "BRAGGO, THE STRONG MAN," "BRAGGO, THE BULL," ETC! THERE'S NO LIMIT TO MY STRENGTH!
3
4
GRANDFATHER HAD TO QUIT AND PUT THE TRUNK DOWN WHEN HE GOT TO WHERE YOU ARE — HE COULDN'T CLIMB THIS STAIRS! HE WAS ALL IN!
YES, I'LL SHOW YOU HOW MUCH I LAY OVER YOUR GRANDPOP! I'LL CARRY IT RIGHT UP TO THE TOP OF THE HOUSE, YES, AND SEAT BOTH OF 'EM STRONG WHEN I'M THROUGH!
THANKS, BRAGGO, IT'S KIND OF YOU TO HELP ME MOVE!!
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HE DISPLAYS MARVELOUS STRENGTH

Dinkelspiel as a Riddle Builder

By George V. Hobart

HOME, TO-DAY.

WEIN lieber Looey—Ve haf received your letter from Richmond und ve vas glat to hear it dot your healt' makes itself a pleasant visitor in your constitution.

Ve vas all vell at home mit der exception dot your mother gafe a britch vist party last night at five cents a point, und to-day seferal of der neighbors' vives vas outin spending money vich vas formerly an inmate of your father's pocketbook.

Your mother's britch vist education has now reached dot stage vare she doubles a no-trumper yust to make conversation.

Dis is a plesant idea for der neighbors, but it makes papa's bank roll veak around der equator.

I doan'd play britch vist myself, Looey, because all going ould und nudding caming in ain't a good idea—not even at a railroad station.

Dot vas a nice riddle you sent me in your letter from Pocknonoke City, Maryland, even if it vas an old vun, Looey.

To me dare vas nuddings in der vorld so enchoyable as a riddle. It alvuys makes der blood chump faster ofer der weins to see a short, hart qvestion staring at me, mit der answer hiding somevare around der corner.

I luff riddles.

If you pleass I vill darefore return your load, as der britch visters say, py handing you a cubble of home made riddles, shvetty.

Spread dese ofer der country among your drummerizing friends, mit your father's compliments.

Listen py dis, Looey:

Imogene's father sends his pitcher to der vell; Mary's father send his pitcher to der saloon; how much money has Imogene's father saved?

Now dis vun, Looey: Julia's mother has yust finished reading a very beautiful story. Mary's mother sent ofer und borrowed der book. How oft vill Julia's mother be ven der book gets back?

Try dis vun, Looey: Ann's leedle brother vas entertaining Ann's sweetheart in der parlor. Ann's leedle brother has yust tolt Ann's sweetheart how oft Ann is. How long dit Ann's sweetheart remain after his learned der bitter truth?

Let dis vun, Looey: Margaret took a dollar bill und vent to a compartment store. She saved twenty cents for car fare und spent eighty cents for lunch. Vot vas der clerks svearing at after Margaret vent ould?

Here is vun, Looey: Jane's mother bought her a picture hat. Der picture hat vas der same size as a panorama, only larger. Jane took her picture hat to der matinee. A small man sat behind der hat. Vot vas der name of der play, und vy is it der small man dit not like it?

Annuder vun, Looey: Grace rode home in der elevated roughhouse at der tvylight hour. Eighty-seven chentlemens vas dare hiding behind eighty-seven newspapers. Grace chvined a stump und svung to und fro. At vich end of der terminus dit Grace receive a seat?

Yours mit luff,

D. DINKELSPIEL,
Per George V. Hobart.

Any one thing in the creation is sufficient to demonstrate a providence to an humble and grateful mind. EPICTETUS.